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Bush on Offense Over Spying

Domestic surveillance is lawful, necessary, president says

MANHATTAN, KANSAS | President Bush pushed back Monday at critics of his once-secret domestic spying effort, saying it should be termed a "terrorist surveillance program" and contending it has the backing of legal experts, key lawmakers and the Supreme Court.

Several members of Congress from both parties have questioned whether the warrantless snooping is legal. That is because it bypasses a special federal court that, by law, must authorize eavesdropping on Americans

and because the president provided limited notification to only a few lawmakers.

"It's amazing that people say to me, 'Well, he's just breaking the law.' If I wanted to break the law, why was I briefing Congress?" said Bush.

The president's remarks were part of an aggressive administration campaign to defend the 4-year-old program as a crucial and legal terror-fighting tool. The White House is trying to sell its side of the story before the Senate Judiciary Committee opens hearings on it in

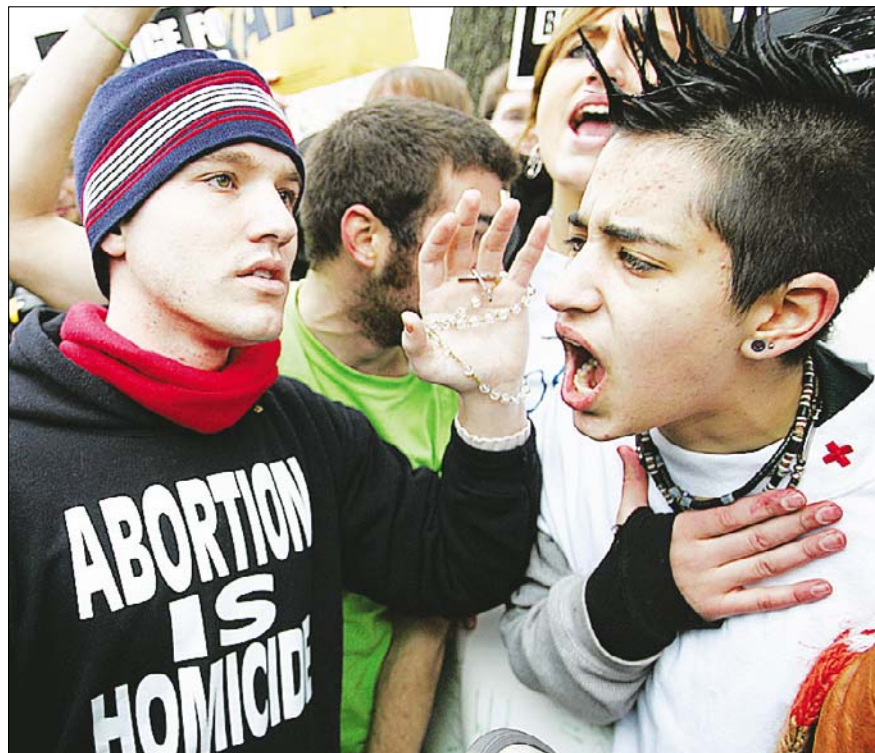


Bush

two weeks. In his remarks, Bush said that allowing the National Security Agency to monitor the international phone calls and e-mails of Americans with suspected ties to terrorists can hardly be considered "domestic spying."

"It's what I would call a terrorist surveillance program," Bush said. "If they're making a phone call in the United States, it seems like to me we want to know why." JENNIFER LOVEN (AP)

WASHINGTON | ABORTION FOES MARK ROE ANNIVERSARY



GREAT DIVIDE: Abortion opponent Nick Schadler, left, holds a rosary in the face of pro-choice protester Ash Roberts at the Supreme Court on Monday. Abortion foes rallied to mark the 33rd anniversary of the Roe v. Wade ruling that legalized abortion. ♦ **Rally:** Thousands turned out | **Page 11**

Ford to Cut Thousands, Shut Plants

DEARBORN, MICH. | Ford Motor Co. plans to cut up to 30,000 jobs and shutter 14 plants in a sweeping restructuring that the nation's second biggest automaker hopes will tackle declining market share and rising costs that led to hefty losses in its North American operations.

Ford shares rose on Monday's news, indicating some investors were pleased with the long-awaited "Way Forward" plan as well as the company's larger-than-expected \$124 million overall profit in the fourth quarter. Union leaders called the planned cuts "extremely disappointing."

The cuts represent up to 25 percent of Ford's North American work force of 122,000 people. In addition, Ford plans to cut 12 percent of its corporate officers in the next two months.

Ford said the plan will restore profitability by 2008. But some analysts questioned whether it could boost Ford's profits as the company struggles with aggressive competition, higher costs and a junk credit rating. (AP)

FAILURE | Dean of Omissions Kathleen Sullivan may have been dean of the Stanford Law School, but she flunked a test many of her students have passed — the state bar exam. The California Supreme Court has removed Sullivan from a biotech company's



legal team in a \$500 million licensing dispute. It seems last year Sullivan failed the three-day test to become licensed to practice law in California. Sullivan is licensed to practice in New York and Massachusetts. (AP) **Eye Openers** | **Page 2**

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WHINING

Aww, But We Always Have to Do Our Jobs!

Two paramedics in Kempston, England, have been suspended for failing to respond to emergency calls because they believed it was not their turn to do so, the Mirror reported. Calls to the station are graded for their urgency using the letters A, B and C. When the two were ordered by a controller to respond to an A incident—the most serious—the crew argued that it was not their turn and another crew should be called. They finally did leave, but the response time broke rules for tardiness. (EXPRESS)

TECHNOLOGY

Logo Away

Plasma television owners in Melbourne, Australia, are threatening to sue two TV channels after their logos burned into the screens during long broadcasts of cricket and tennis matches, the Nation reported. For example, Wayne Spiers' \$3,000 screen has shown one channel's logo since he tuned into the station on and off for five straight days. Screen burn occurs when television graphics stay in one spot on a viewer's TV set for an extended time. (EXPRESS)



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TA-DA!

War of the Poses

Joining the Border Security Force in India will teach you many things — survival skills, sharpshooting, modern military technology, jazz hands. Which was useful Friday as personnel practiced their formations on motorcycles while taking part in a Republic Day parade rehearsal in New Delhi. India will celebrate its 55th Republic Day on Thursday, with Saudi Arabia's King Abdullah scheduled to be the chief guest at the celebrations. (EXPRESS)



DIVORCES

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A Malaysian court has fined a senator \$140 for divorcing his wife by cell-phone text message and voice mail. Kamaruddin Ambok, an official in the ruling party, confessed Thursday to the offense against Mahani Hussain in 2001 and paid the fine. In Malaysia it is illegal for Muslims to divorce outside the court and without its permission. "Cases such as this are happening often," prosecutor Mohammed Yusof Sulaiman said. (AP)

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PANTLESS PRANK: Eight pranksters participating in the "No Pants Subway Ride" in New York on Sunday were arrested for disorderly conduct. More than 160 riders participated in the fifth-annual event, organized by an improv group.



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In Brief

RENO, NEV.

Children Survive Alleged 5-Year Imprisonment

Carson City Sheriff Ken Furlong says he's amazed by the survival of two emaciated children who say they were locked in an apartment bathroom and starved for the past five years. When the siblings were found Thursday, the 16-year-old girl weighed about 40 pounds, and her 11-year-old brother weighed about 30 pounds. The pair were in stable condition Sunday at a hospital, while their grandmother, mother and the mother's boyfriend were in jail. (AP)

ALBANY, N.Y.

Spitzer Picks Paterson as Running Mate, Says Source

Democrat Eliot Spitzer, the leading candidate for governor in New York, has chosen the state's top black legislator as his running mate, a person familiar with the decision said Monday. State Senate Democratic leader David Paterson, who is legally blind, is credited with narrowing his party's deficit in the Senate, controlled by Republicans since 1965. Paterson has agreed to run as lieutenant governor with Spitzer, according to the anonymous source. (AP)

Pentagon Blueprints

→ A new Pentagon review calls for bolstering the U.S. military with thousands more elite troops, U.S. officials say. | **Today, A Section**

IN The Washington Post

W.Va. Passes New Mine Regulations

Legislators approve safety codes in wake of 14 accidental deaths

CHARLESTON, W.VA. | After 14 coal mining deaths in three weeks, the West Virginia Senate unanimously passed legislation Monday that would require mines to use electronic devices to track trapped miners and stockpile oxygen to keep them alive until help arrives.

The state House was expected to take up the measure later in the afternoon at the urging of Gov. Joe Manchin, who pressed lawmakers

to pass the legislation by the end of the day.

"We can't afford to wait any longer," Manchin said after two miners were found dead over the weekend in a mine fire in Melville. Three weeks ago, 12 miners died after an explosion at the Sago Mine.

The Senate passed the bill without debate, 32-0, with two absences.

"These 14 miners have not died in vain," Manchin said afterward.

If the bill clears both houses, coal companies in the nation's No. 2 coal mining state would have to comply by the end of February.



West Virginia Gov. Joe Manchin introduces mine safety legislation Monday.

The governor's legislation would require improved communications and the electronic tracking of coal miners underground, as well as faster emergency response and the storage of additional air supplies underground.

In Washington, meanwhile, the Senate opened a hearing on mine safety.

"These deaths I believe were entirely preventable," said Sen. Robert C. Byrd, D-W.Va. "And we owe the families of these deceased and noble and great and brave men a hard look of what happened and why."

LAWRENCE MESSINA (AP)

ILLINOIS | BLAZE LEVELS HISTORIC BUILDING



BURNED OUT: Firefighters battle a blaze Monday in downtown Galesburg, Ill., that destroyed a historic building. Fire officials said the cause of the fire, which gutted the building widely known as "The Big Store," was being investigated.

FBI Probes Post-Katrina Corruption

JACKSON, MISS. | The FBI has uncovered fraud by public officials in the wake of Hurricane Katrina and has created a task force to investigate corruption as federal money pours into the Gulf Coast region, Mississippi's top agent said Monday.

"We are seeing public officials facilitating some of the fraud," said John G. Raucci. Raucci said there is low-level fraud occurring, including some people misrepresenting their identities to receive federal aid, and more sophisticated scams as well. (AP)

Calif. Man Pleads Guilty to Hacking

SAN FRANCISCO | A 20-year-old hacker admitted Monday to surreptitiously seizing control of hundreds of thousands of Internet-connected computers, using the zombie network to serve pop-up ads and renting it to people who

mounted attacks on Web sites and sent out spam.

Jeanson James Ancheta, of Downey, Calif., pleaded guilty in Los Angeles federal court to four felony charges for crimes, including infecting machines at two U.S. military sites, that earned him more than \$61,000, federal prosecutors said. Ancheta's sentencing is scheduled for May 1. (AP)

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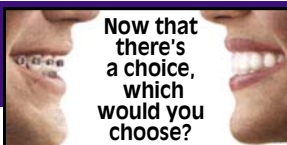
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FDA Mulls OTC Diet Pill

Panel recommends approval of drug as weight-loss aid

WASHINGTON | A Food and Drug Administration panel of doctors and scientists voted Monday to recommend that the regulatory agency approve over-the-counter sales of a weight-loss pill now sold only with a prescription.

GlaxoSmithKline Consumer Healthcare still needs final FDA approval before it can sell the non-prescription version of orlistat, a

drug already marketed in prescription form as Xenical, to overweight adults as use as a weight-loss aid. The FDA approved the prescription version of the fat-blocking pill made by Roche in 1999.

A joint FDA advisory committee voted 11-3 to recommend approval late Monday following a day-long hearing. The agency usually follows the recommendations of its outside panels of experts. Currently, the FDA has not approved any non-prescription weight-loss drugs for sale.

In six-month clinical trials,

obese people who took orlistat lost on average 5.3 pounds to 6.2 pounds more than did those who were given dummy pills. Glaxo wants people to use it for only six months at a time, but as an over-the-counter item, its use could not be policed.

However, the pill's effect ends once its use is stopped, said Dr. Julie Golden, a medical officer in the FDA's division of metabolism and endocrinology products. A previous study showed a progressive weight gain in patients after they discontinued use of orlistat, Golden said.

ANDREW BRIDGES (AP)

CALIFORNIA | SIGN CRASH CLOGS FREEWAY



IMPASSE: Workers in San Diego watch as a crane prepares to move an 18-ton sign that fell Monday, blocking all northbound lanes of Interstate 805. The sign fell after it was hit by the raised hydraulic arm of a passing trash truck.

O'Connor Breaks Tie in Possible Last Decision

WASHINGTON | In possibly her last day on the bench, Supreme Court Justice Sandra Day O'Connor broke a 4-4 tie Monday as she had so many times before — and left a host of thorny issues for her successor.

Justices are about halfway through a historic term, with a new chief justice and the delayed retirement of its first woman member. The Senate could vote on replacing O'Connor with Samuel Alito as early as this week.

O'Connor explained from the bench Monday the 5-4 ruling in which she joined the four more liberal justices in opening states to some lawsuits over the division of property in a bankruptcy. (AP)

Reporter's Dad Asks For Her Release

Family of kidnapped journalist is seeking dialogue with captors

NEW YORK | The father of Jill Carroll, an American reporter who was kidnapped in Iraq, pleaded with his daughter's captors to release her.

"She is not your enemy," Jim Carroll said in a CNN interview broadcast Sunday night.

"Jill started to tell your story,

so please, let her finish it," he said in a statement. "Through the media, if necessary, advise her family and me of how we might initiate a dialogue that will lead to her release."

He added: "When you release her alive, she will tell your story with that same conviction."



Carroll

There was no word Monday on Jill Carroll's condition. In Iraq, U.S. and Iraqi authorities conducted joint operations in an intensive effort to free the 28-year-old freelance journalist, who was abducted Jan. 7.

She has not been heard from since her kidnappers released a videotape that was first aired on Jan. 17. It was accompanied by a threat that she would be killed if U.S. forces did not release all Iraqi women in military custody. (AP)

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GETAWAY PLAN: A Chicago woman arrested for drunken driving on Saturday slipped off her handcuffs and drove away in a police cruiser, police said. Veronique Armour, 22, was caught a few minutes later, after traveling about a mile away.



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DNA Frees Fla. Man After 24 Years

Man convicted of rapes, robbery released from 130-year sentence

TAMPA, FLA. | A 45-year-old man who spent 24 years behind bars was freed Monday after DNA testing and other evidence convinced prosecutors he was not involved in the robbery and rapes that led to his 130-year sentence.

Alan Crotzer was freed more than three years after he wrote to the Innocence Project in New York, a legal clinic that works to exoner-

ate inmates through DNA testing. Crotzer had been sentenced to 130 years in prison for a 1981 robbery and two rapes.

"It's been a long time coming," Crotzer said. "Thank God for this day."

Members of Crotzer's family and other courtroom spectators clapped and cheered as a bailiff removed the shackles from his wrists and ankles after Circuit Judge J. Rogers Padgett said to Crotzer during the brief hearing: "Motion granted — you're a free man."

Prosecutor Mike Sinacore con-



Alan Crotzer triumphantly leaves a Tampa courthouse on Monday.

gratulated him. "Trying to fix an error in the system is just as important as trying to convict someone who is guilty," Sinacore said.

DNA has been used to clear at least 172 people wrongly convicted of crimes in 31 states since 1989, according to the Innocence Project.

Crotzer and brothers Douglas James and Corlenzo James were convicted of robbing a Tampa family in 1981. Douglas James and Crotzer were also found guilty of kidnapping and raping a 38-year-old woman and her 12-year-old daughter at gunpoint. MITCH STACY (AP)



A firefighter battles a rooftop blaze.

Fierce Winds Fuel Blazes in Southern Calif.

LA CANADA FLINTRIDGE, CALIF. | Strong winds barreling through Southern California Monday fanned fires, knocked out power to 77,000 customers, blew down trees and scattered debris over roads.

Winds of 40 mph grounded firefighting helicopters, and forced a rural San Diego County school district to cancel classes.

A fallen power line in La Canada Flintridge, northwest of Los Angeles, sparked a fire that forced the evacuation of 15 homes before it was contained, authorities said. (AP)

VERMONT | FIERCE SNOWSTORMS HIT NORTHEAST



TOBY TALBOT/AP

OVERTURNED: A car sits upended on Interstate 89 in Middlesex, Vt., Monday as police work to extricate the driver. A winter storm in New England dumped heavy snow in southern and eastern sections of Vermont.

Activist Sentenced for Trespassing

BINGHAMTON, N.Y. | A peace activist was sentenced Monday to six months in prison for splattering his own blood at a military recruiting station to protest the war in Iraq.

Daniel Burns was the first of four activists to be sentenced this week for splattering their blood onto win-

dows, walls and an American flag at the Army and Marine Corps recruiting station in 2003.

The so-called Saint Patrick's Four were convicted for damaging government property and entering a military recruiting station for unlawful purposes. (AP)

Mass. to Review Case Of Brain-Damaged Girl

Independent panel to probe state's handling of abused 11-year-old

BOSTON | Saying "errors in judgment were made," Gov. Mitt Romney on Monday announced an independent investigation into the state's handling of the case of a brain-damaged 11-year-old girl at the center of a right-to-die battle.

Haleigh Poutre was allegedly beaten into a coma last year by her

adoptive mother and stepfather, who fought the state's efforts to disconnect the girl's life support. The state's highest court granted the state permission last week to disconnect the ventilator and feeding tube.

But the next day, the Department of Social Services revealed her condition had improved and she was breathing on her own after being slowly weaned off the ventilator.

Romney said he will establish a panel to review the girl's 10-year, 45-page case log. BROOKE DONALD (AP)

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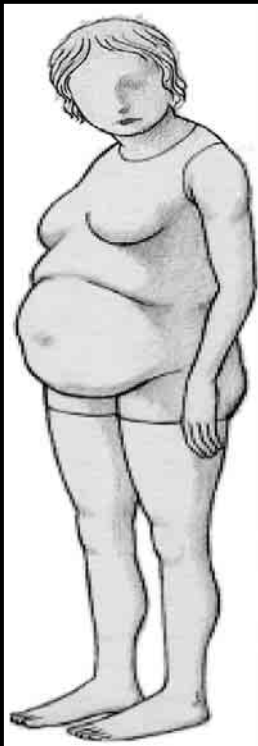


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World



VOTER VOICES: Palestinian supporters of Hamas attend a pre-election rally in the West Bank town of Ramallah on Monday.

Palestinian Race Winds Up

Fatah, Hamas trade last-minute barbs, hint at future coalition

GAZA CITY, GAZA STRIP | The ruling Fatah Party and the Islamic militant Hamas traded bitter accusations and made impassioned last-minute appeals for support Monday on the final day of campaigning for Palestinian parliamentary elections.

With polls showing Wednesday's election too close to call, Hamas

and Fatah signaled an interest in forming a coalition after the vote. Hamas officials said even if they win a majority, they would prefer lower-profile Cabinet posts and to let Palestinian leader Mahmoud Abbas deal with the Israelis.

That would likely rule out a Hamas-run government, an alarming prospect for Israel and the West that would spell trouble for future peace prospects.

Thousands attended a Hamas rally in the West Bank city of Hebron, waving green Hamas

flags and posters of leaders killed by Israel in a huge show of strength.

Fatah candidates in Gaza joined hundreds of supporters on a pilgrimage to the home of Yasser Arafat, hoping to parlay the memory of the late leader into votes.

Hamas, known for its suicide bombings and calls for Israel's destruction, has emerged as a strong political force. It has attracted voters with a platform stressing an end to Fatah's corruption, while pointing to its popular social and education programs. **IBRAHIM BARZAK (AP)**

Canadians Cast Votes in Key Election

OTTAWA | Canadians voted Monday in an election that could dramatically change the country's political landscape.

Most opinion polls predicted a victory for Conservative leader Stephen Harper. That would end nearly 13 years of Liberal Party rule and could shift the traditionally liberal country to the right on issues such as health care, taxation, abortion and gay marriage.

Relations with the Bush administration would likely improve under a Harper government, as his ideology runs along the same lines



Liberal leader Paul Martin waves after casting his ballot in La Salle, Quebec.

of many Republicans south of the border.

Even if Liberal Prime Minister

Paul Martin, 67, does eke out a win, he'll head a weak minority government that will find it very difficult to get things done in the House of Commons.

As voters headed to 60,000 polling stations amid unseasonably mild winter weather, opinion polls gave the Conservatives a lead between 6 and 10 percentage points, indicating that Canadians may be favoring political change. **(AP)**

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World



MARCHING ON: The parents of Toga — the infant penguin whose disappearance last month from a British zoo was followed around the world — have laid a new egg, zoo-keepers said Monday. Despite scores of reported sightings, Toga has not been found.

New Judge Named in Saddam Trial

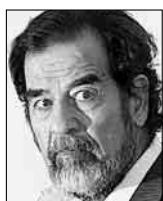
Late change comes as court is set to resume; 7 GIs reported killed

BAGHDAD, IRAQ | Court officials shuffled the five-member panel trying Saddam Hussein, naming a new chief judge and transferring another jurist off the case Monday — one day before the trial resumes following a monthlong recess.

The changes raised new questions about the fairness of the process and provided yet more signs of disarray in a trial already marked

by delays, assassinations and chaotic courtroom outbursts.

The new chief judge will be Raouf Rasheed Abdel-Rahman, who like his predecessor is a Kurd. Abdel-Rahman serves on a backup panel and has been following the trial, officials said.



Saddam

Rizgar Mohammed Amin submitted his resignation as chief judge Jan. 15 after complaints that he

failed to maintain control of the proceedings.

After Amin refused to withdraw his resignation, court officials had said he would be replaced by his deputy, Saeed al-Hammash, a Shiite. However, the government commission responsible for purging members of Saddam's Baath Party complained last week that al-Hammash should not serve as chief judge because of his former membership in the party.

Elsewhere in Iraq, gunmen wearing uniforms of a Shiite-led security force swept into a Sunni

Arab neighborhood in Baghdad Monday, killing three men and speeding away with more than 20 others, police and witnesses said.

Meanwhile, the U.S. military said seven more U.S. troops had been killed — a soldier in a roadside bombing in Baghdad on Monday, two Air Force members in a blast near Taji late Sunday, and four soldiers in a roadside bombing near Hawijah on Friday. (AP)

Alliances: Iraq's Muqtada al Sadr has pledged to help neighboring Iran if it is attacked | **Today's Post, A Section**



A television documentary shows an alleged British embassy staff member, top, in a Moscow park with a fake rock that held hidden electronic equipment.

In Brief

NAIROBI, KENYA

At Least 11 Killed, 84 Injured After Building Collapses

A five-story building collapsed in central Nairobi Monday with more than 280 construction workers inside, killing at least 11 people and injuring more than 84, survivors and officials said. One survivor said some of the workers had been lying down for a nap when the building began to tremble. Tens of thousands of people ran to the site, clogging roads and climbing on the rubble to watch the rescue. Riot police were deployed to help clear roads for emergency vehicles. (AP)

TOKYO

Livedoor CEO Arrested for Alleged Securities Violations

Takafumi Horie, chief executive of Japanese Internet portal Livedoor, was arrested Monday for alleged securities law violations in a scandal that has caused a week of turmoil in Japan's stock market.



Horie

The probe into Livedoor spread to Japan's political sphere Monday, with politicians grilling Prime Minister Junichiro Koizumi over his political support of Horie, a brash, young entrepreneur who had run for a parliamentary seat last year. (AP)

SERBIA-MONTENEGRO | PASSENGER TRAIN WRECK KILLS AT LEAST 39



CRASH SITE: Rescuers search for the injured after a packed passenger train derailed Monday and plunged into a steep river canyon outside the Montenegrin capital of Podgorica, killing at least 39 people and injuring more than 135, more than half of them children. The crash is one of the deadliest European train accidents of the past quarter-century.

Turkey Drops Case Against Novelist

ANKARA, TURKEY | A Turkish court on Monday dropped charges against Turkey's best-known novelist for insulting "Turkishness" in an interview with a newspaper, ending a high-profile trial that outraged Western observers and cast doubt on Turkey's commitment to free speech.

Orhan Pamuk went on trial Dec.

16 for saying "30,000 Kurds and 1 million Armenians were killed in these lands" in an interview with a Swiss newspaper.

The comment referred to two of the most painful episodes in recent Turkish history: The massacre of Armenians during World War I, which Turkey insists was not a planned genocide, and recent guer-

rilla fighting in Turkey's overwhelmingly Kurdish southeast.

"The court dropped the case," said Haluk Inanici, the author's lawyer. "This case should not have been opened in the first place."

The controversy comes at a sensitive time in the largely Muslim country's push to join the European Union, which criticized the trial and questioned the nation's commitment to freedom of expression. (AP)

Moscow Claims UK Espionage

MOSCOW | Russia's main intelligence agency on Monday accused four British diplomats of spying — using electronic equipment hidden inside a fake rock in a park — as well as funneling funds to non-governmental organizations.

The announcement came a day after state television channel Rossiya broadcast footage purportedly showing four British Embassy staff using electronic equipment concealed in the rock in Moscow to receive intelligence from Russian agents.

Sergei Ignatchenko, a spokesman for the Federal Security Service, said the situation would be resolved "at a political level," the RIA-Novosti news agency reported, an apparent indication that the Russian government could expel the diplomats.

Officials at the British Embassy in Moscow and Foreign Office in London declined to comment on the espionage accusations.

In addition to a post-Cold War chill in Russian-British relations, the announcement reflected a toughening Russian stance on NGOs. Earlier this year, President Vladimir Putin signed a law restricting NGOs activities. (AP)



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FINAL DESTINATION: Now that bankrupt Independence Air is no longer flying, its surplus jets are heading to storage in West Virginia. An airport in Martinsburg has accepted 15 jets. One jet has already landed at an airport in Wiley Ford, with seven more expected.

Local

In Brief

ROCKVILLE, MD.

Clarksville Woman Stands Accused of Animal Cruelty

A Clarksburg woman faced several animal cruelty charges for allegedly keeping malnourished dogs in filthy conditions, authorities said Monday. According to police, they first came across Maria A. Yordan Torres back in April, when they answered a call about an abandoned dog and found one that was malnourished. Later visits turned up instances of unsanitary conditions and animal cruelty. When police and Animal Services returned earlier this month, they found 20 adult dogs and eight puppies on Torres' property. (AP)

ANNAPOLIS, MD.

Fiscal Adviser: Ehrlich Plan Would Exceed Revenues

Spending levels proposed by Gov. Robert Ehrlich in his budget for next year exceed revenues by as much as \$700 million, and the state will again be facing a deficit of almost \$1 billion two years down the road, the legislature's chief fiscal adviser told two budget committees Monday. Warren Deschenaux, director of the General Assembly's fiscal agency, said Ehrlich is using the \$1.4 billion surplus in the current budget to close the gap and make sure that next year's budget is balanced. (AP)

LAUREL, MD.

Person Killed In Home After Fire Breaks Out in Garage

A 69-year-old man was killed after a fire broke out in the garage of a single-family home, authorities said Monday. Investigators from both the fire and police departments were looking into the fire, but said that is standard procedure when a death is involved. The body was found shortly after rescuers got a handle on the fire. The victim was not immediately identified. (AP)

Potts Finds New Power

→ Although GOP state Sen. Russ Potts lost his independent bid for Virginia governor, he has claimed new power in Richmond, angering conservatives. | **Today in Metro**

The Washington Post

D.C.'s Metro Funding Plan on Hold

Council likely to wait on sales tax until Va., Md. take firm action

WASHINGTON | The D.C. government might be the first to come up with a proposed dedicated source of funding for Metro, but it doesn't plan to move on it until its counterparts in Maryland and Virginia do the same.

"Year after year, we can't agree on who pays for what, so the system goes forward in dire need of this funding," said Council member Jack Evans, D-Ward 2.

Evans, chair of the Council's Finance and Revenue Committee, held hearings on the matter Monday. Several government officials testi-

fied that dedicated money sources are needed to keep Metro up and running and moving forward.



Evans

"Metro is a critical asset to the national capital region and we need to address how to keep it healthy and vital," said Gladys Mack, Chair of the Metro Board.

"Ridership growth on (Metro) is projected to double by 2025," requiring more money, said Michelle Pourciau, the Deputy Director for the D.C. Department of Transportation.

Councilman Jim Graham, D-Ward 1, co-introduced legislation

METRO: PARATRANSIT SERVICE QUALITY IS IMPROVING

PRELIMINARY FIGURES released by Metro show that the on-time performance for MetroAccess, the transit agency's door-to-door transit service for disabled and otherwise mobility impaired riders, has improved to nearly 91 percent on Sunday. At last Thursday's Metro Board meeting, MetroAccess cus-

tomers complained about poor service as the transit agency switched contractors operating the service. Metro and its contractor, MV Transportation, said that they're taking steps to improve service. Metro dumped its old contractor after The Washington Post cited numerous service failures. (AP)

last month that, if approved, would take 0.5 percent of the city sales tax for a dedicated Metro funding source. That money would come out of the existing 5.75 percent sales tax, and would raise from \$50 to \$60 million dollars a year for Metro. It would also provide the city's share

of the money needed to match \$1.5 billion in federal funds proposed by Rep. Tom Davis, R-Va.

Neither Maryland nor Virginia have come up with a dedicated source of funding for Metro and Evans doubts they will this year. CARRIE SCHUMAKER (AP)

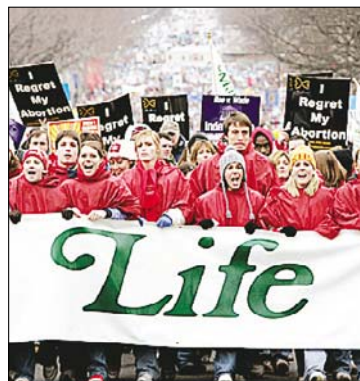
Abortion Protesters March on Capitol Hill

Activists rally on Mall to push for reversal of Roe v. Wade ruling

WASHINGTON | President Bush told abortion opponents who gathered in the nation's capital on Monday that they are pursuing "a noble cause" and predicted that their views would prevail eventually.

"We're working to persuade more of our fellow Americans of the rightness of our cause," the president told abortion foes gathered at the foot of Capitol Hill on a chilly, rainy day. He spoke by telephone from Manhattan, Kan., where he gave a speech.

The rally was held to mark the 33rd anniversary of the Roe v. Wade ruling that legalized abortion. Bush has named two justices to the Supreme Court, and abortion foes hope someday that the court will reverse its landmark decision on abortion.



Anti-abortion protesters march up Constitution Avenue on Monday.

After the rally on the National Mall, the demonstrators marched up Constitution Avenue to the Capitol and the Supreme Court.

"We're going to see the overturning of Roe," Joe Giganti, a spokesman for the National Pro-life Action Center told The Washington Post on Monday. "I'd say the mood has changed significantly just in the past year." (AP/EXPRESS)

The Lotteries

Monday, Jan. 23

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Mid-day Lucky Numbers	0-6-1
Evening Lucky Numbers	5-5-6
Mid-day DC 4	7-1-5-6
Evening DC 4	6-9-4-1
Rolling Cash Five	31-4-6-33-23
Daily 6	31-12-19-32-15-4 Bonus: 38

MARYLAND

Mid-day Pick 3	6-7-3
Evening Pick 3	2-9-4
Mid-day Pick 4	4-8-1-2
Evening Pick 4	3-2-3-4
Match 5	04-11-29-30-34 Bonus: 07

VIRGINIA

Mid-day Pick 3	5-7-6
Mid-day Pick 4	2-1-3-1
Mid-day Cash 5	03-07-11-14-28

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STICKER SHOCK: Thirteen cents in one month. That's how much gas prices have jumped, according to AAA-Mid-Atlantic's latest check. The auto club says that Monday's average for a gallon of self-serve regular in the D.C. region was \$2.39. A year ago, gas prices averaged \$1.86 for self-serve regular. A crude-oil price spike over the past two months is to blame. (AP)

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Money

BlackBerry Appeal Denied

Justices send fate of
patent squabble back
to lower-court judge

WASHINGTON | Millions of BlackBerry users can now turn their attention back to a federal court where the fate of the popular wireless device may be decided.

After the Supreme Court chose on Monday not to intervene in the case, the resolution of the long-running battle over patents for the handheld device is up to U.S. District Judge James R. Spencer.

Although the judge could impose an injunction and block BlackBerry use among many of its estimated 3 million owners in the United States, many analysts expect Research In Motion Ltd., the device's maker, to strike a deal with the patent-holder or introduce changes to work around the patents.

Even if Spencer orders a partial



A district judge could decide to order a shutdown of the popular BlackBerry devices.

shutdown, analysts said, he is likely to give users 30 days or more to switch to competing companies that provide wireless e-mail service.

Lawyers for NTP Inc., a small northern Virginia firm that says it owns the patent on the technology that makes the BlackBerry work,

have said government and emergency workers would be exempt from any BlackBerry blackout.

Research in Motion had asked the justices to weigh in on whether U.S. patent law is technologically out of date in the age of the Internet and the global marketplace. (AP)

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Nike CEO Quits Amid Rift With Exec

BEAVERTON, OREGON | Nike Inc., the world's largest athletic shoe company, on Monday said CEO William D. Perez resigned over differences with company founder and chairman Philip Knight and was replaced by Mark Parker, co-president of the

Nike brand.

Perez joined the Beaverton-based company in December 2004 after a long career with consumer-products maker S.C. Johnson.

Perez said in the statement that he and Knight "weren't entirely

aligned on some aspects of how to best lead the company's long-term growth."

Nike will pay Perez \$4.5 million in salary and bonus, and buy his Portland house and reimburse him for remodeling expenses, to the tune of about \$3.6 million, the company said in a regulatory filing. (AP)

Market Action

New York Stock Exchange

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
SptAuth	36.70	+5.65	+18.2
RemOG	44.80	+6.84	+18.0
Energizer	54.50	+5.07	+10.3
AlonUSA n	23.50	+2.17	+10.2
GnMotr	21.85	+1.80	+9.0

Losers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
LLE Ry	2.40	-.50	-17.2
TRC Cos If	9.14	-.73	-7.4
LVSands	46.53	-3.13	-6.3
NeuStar n	27.51	-1.69	-5.8
SeaContA	13.32	-.76	-5.4

Rates

	CURRENT	PREVIOUS WEEK
Prime Rate	7.25	7.25
Fed Funds close	4.25	4.3125
3-month disc	4.28	4.23
2-year	4.36	4.34
10-year	4.36	4.36
30-year	4.53	4.53

NASDAQ Stock Market

Gainers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
Nitches s	6.10	+1.29	+26.9
Monolithic	6.87	+1.08	+18.7
VionPhm	2.12	+.33	+18.4
PetMed	17.12	+2.64	+18.2
QuanFuel	3.77	+.54	+16.7

Losers

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	DAILY PERCENT CHANGE
Datawatch	3.99	-1.39	-25.8
ZiLOG	2.03	-.38	-15.8
Spatialt	2.31	-.37	-13.8
Logility	8.54	-1.08	-11.2
AtlasPac	4.00	-.50	-11.1

Currency (Dollars in foreign currency)

	TODAY	PREVIOUS DAY	YEAR AGO
British Pound	.5596	.5649	.5320
Canadian Dollar	1.1488	1.1533	1.2211
European Euro	.8127	.8243	.7662
Japanese Yen	114.40	115.25	102.67
Mexican Peso	10.5180	10.5290	11.2440
Taiwanese Dollar	32.01	32.10	31.84

DOW	NASDAQ	S&P 500
+21.38	+0.77	+2.33
+0.20	+0.03	+0.18
10688.77	2248.47	1263.82

Biotech Stocks

STOCK	LAST	DAILY CHANGE	YEAR TO DATE PERCENT CHANGE
Amgen	74.90	-.78	-5.0
Amylin	43.32	-1.42	+8.5
BiogenIdc	44.84	-.09	-1.0
Celgene	67.50	+.23	+4.2
ChRvLab	44.10	-.47	+4.1
Chiron	44.71	+.03	+.6
Genentech	85.62	-1.55	-7.4
Genzyme	70.07	-.06	-1.0
GileadSci	56.39	-1.17	+7.3
Imclone	34.06	-.87	-.5
Invitrogn	68.01	+.87	+2.1
MedImm	33.18	+.21	-5.3
MillPhar	10.17	+.17	+4.8
PDL Bio	28.39	+.51	-.1
VertexPh	33.46	-.98	+20.9



STABLE CONDITION: Tony Dungy will be back to coach the Indianapolis Colts next season. The Colts made the announcement Monday, a week after Dungy said he planned to take a break from football to decide his future.

Sports

Gibbs Hands Offense to Saunders

Redskins coach says addition will let him focus on other duties

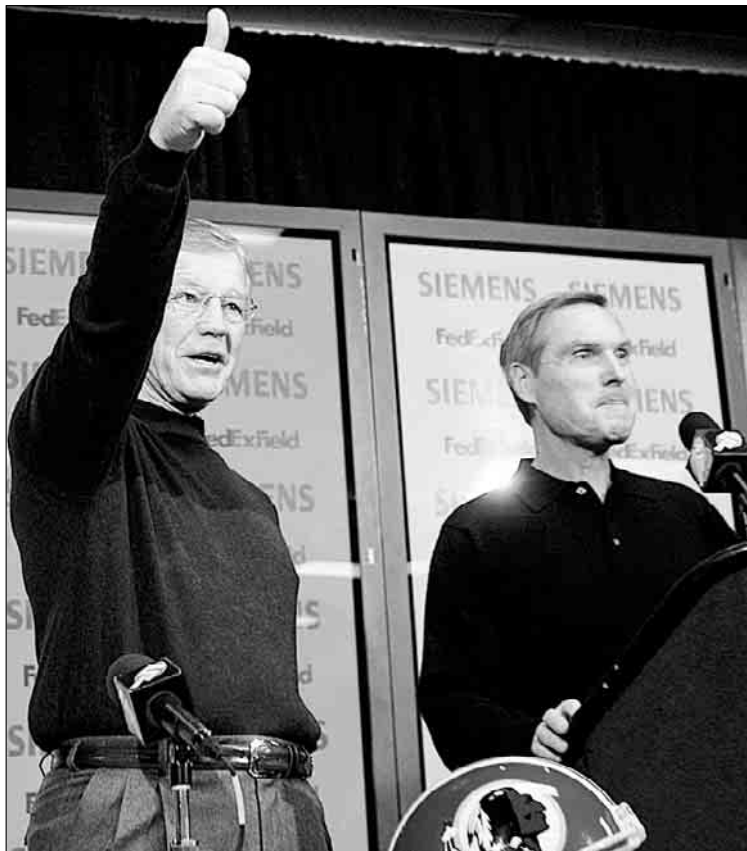
REDSKINS | Joe Gibbs is turning over the reins of the Washington Redskins offense, a significant change in roles for a Hall of Fame coach who found himself trying to handle too many jobs.

Al Saunders was formally introduced Monday and given the title of "associate head coach-offense." The former Kansas City Chiefs offensive coordinator will call the plays and essentially replace Gibbs as the offense's chief game-planner.

"He will oversee and direct the offense," Gibbs said. "It will free me up to do some other things."

Gibbs wooed Saunders in Saunders' Kansas City home last week, even as Saunders was still a candidate for head coaching openings in Oakland and Houston.

Saunders said Gibbs told him: "I don't know if I can do those 20-hour days anymore." Gibbs then offered a three-year contract worth



Redskins coach Joe Gibbs gives thumbs up while introducing Al Saunders as the associate head coach — offense, which means he will call Washington's plays.

about \$6 million.

"You don't often get a chance to work side-by-side with someone who's already in the Hall of Fame," Saunders said.

His arrival gives the Redskins two heirs apparent when Gibbs decides to retire again, with defensive coach Gregg Williams also a prime candidate. Williams signed a three-year deal worth nearly \$8 million last week.

As for Gibbs, he spoke of "chasing down the halls" this season to deal with his various duties as team president, a level of responsibility he didn't have during his first tenure with the Redskins from 1981-92. Saunders' arrival gives the 65-year-old coach more time to devote to free agency and other personnel issues and perhaps sit in on a defense or special teams meeting.

That said, Gibbs still will continue to be a mainstay at the offense's infamous late-night game-planning meetings. "My heart is still with the offense," Gibbs said. "Al will probably be saying 'Shut up!'"

JOSEPH WHITE (AP)

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REDSKINS | BY MATT SWENSON

A Change of Pace for Gibbs

I HOPE JOE GIBBS doesn't start to get bored on Sundays.

Bringing in former Chiefs coordinator Al Saunders, officially introduced Monday at Redskins Park, is a brilliant move by Gibbs to upgrade the offense.

Saunders ran the best offense in football for five years without the best talent. He relied on a strong offensive line, a good running back (first Priest Holmes and then Larry Johnson), a star tight end (Tony Gonzalez) and quarterback Trent Green, who is good but not great. The best known-receiver, Dante Hall, got famous return-kicks.

Washington's personnel is not all that different from what Saunders

Saunders' schemes and play-calling will make all the difference.

is used to. Chris Samuels and Jon Jansen anchor a strong offensive line in front of 1,500-yard back Clinton Portis. Chris Cooley is no Gonzalez, but Santana Moss is better than three Chiefs' receivers combined.

Saunders' schemes and play-calling will make all the difference next season, in which the Redskins ought to be a favorite to reach the Super Bowl considering how good Gregg Williams' defense already is.

The big catch is that in order to bring in Saunders, Gibbs has surrendered the play-calling duties — a first for the coach.

Gibbs knows, though, that good coaches win championships. Now, the Redskins have the best staff money can buy — and then some.

All that's left is to find somebody to wake up Gibbs for the key plays on game days.

Matt Swenson, is Express' sports editor. His e-mail is matt.swenson@readexpress.com.

Union Attacks Arrington's Agent

REDSKINS | The NFL Players Association is investigating a complaint filed against the agent for Redskins linebacker LaVar Arrington, union sources said, which could result in a stiff fine, suspension or possibly even decertification of Carl Poston.

The complaint, filed by the NFLPA's Committee on Agent Regulation and Discipline, stems from the handling of the \$68-million contract extension Arrington

signed in January 2004.

Shortly after signing that deal, Arrington — arguably he team's most popular player — filed a grievance claiming the Redskins excluded a bonus worth \$6.5 million from the final version of the contract, which he and Poston did not detect at the time, after not having sufficient time to review the details before signing.

The Redskins long disputed that contention and after a series of delays and postponed hearings, the sides came to an agreement before the start of the 2005 season.

JASON LA CANFORA (THE WASHINGTON POST)

AUSTRALIAN OPEN | HINGIS' DREAM LIVES



TORSTEN BLACKWOOD/AFP/GETTY

MATCH POINT: Former No. 1 player in the world Martina Hingis celebrates after beating Samantha Stosur 6-1, 7-6 (8) at the Australian Open Monday to advance to the quarterfinals after a three-year layoff from tennis.



OVECHKIN SCORES AGAIN: Washington Capitals rookie forward Alex Ovechkin was named the NHL's Offensive Player of the week on Monday. All he did was score the goal of the year against the Phoenix Coyotes last week. He ended the seven-day period with three goals and four assists as Washington won a season-best four consecutive games. (EXPRESS)

TODAY'S TV LINEUP

COLLEGE HOOPS (7 P.M. ON ESPN) No. 21 Georgetown tries to follow up its win over Duke by defeating Big East rival Notre Dame in South Bend, Ind.

COLLEGE HOOPS (7 P.M. ON ESPN) Struggling Kentucky can win its second straight when playing Auburn in an SEC game.

COLLEGE HOOPS (9 P.M. ON ESPN) No.

13 Indiana takes on former Hoosier Steve Alford, head coach of the Iowa Hawkeyes.

HOCKEY (8 P.M. ON OLN) Phoenix faces Minnesota in a game of two last-place teams with winning records.

TENNIS (2 P.M. AND 10 P.M. ON ESPN2) Quarterfinals at the Australian Open.

Sports



OWN PART OF JOE D: More than 1,000 items of Joe DiMaggio memorabilia, including his 1947 Most Valuable Player Award plaque and a signed photo of Marilyn Monroe, will be auctioned in May, Hunt Auctions Inc. announced Monday.

Bryant's Chamberlain-Esque Night

Lakers' star is the talk of NBA after historic 81-point performance

NBA | Wilt Chamberlain's record 100-point game seemed unreachable from the time he accomplished the feat nearly 44 years ago.

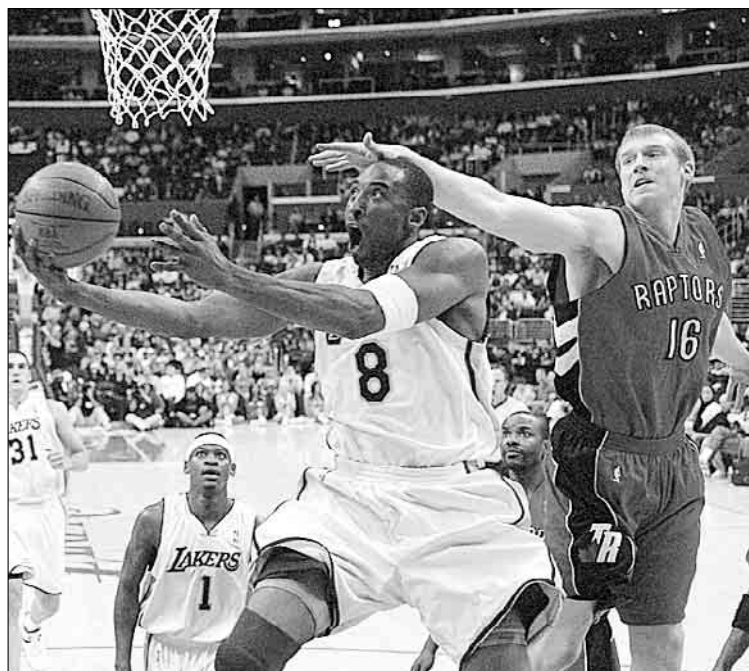
Perhaps it's not. Maybe Kobe Bryant can do it.

"I guess it's possible. I don't know, bro'. It's unthinkable," the Los Angeles Lakers' star said.

So was 81. At least before Sunday night.

But Bryant, so often unstoppable, was better than ever against the Toronto Raptors, scoring 28 of his team's 31 points in the fourth quarter to reach the second-highest single-game total in NBA history.

Bryant, playing a little less than 42 minutes, shot 28-of-46 from the floor including 7-of-13 from 3-point range, and 18-of-20 from the foul line. He raised his NBA-leading average to 35.9 points. If the season ended now, that would be the highest



Bryant outscored the Raptors 55-42 in the second half of Sunday night's game.

average since Michael Jordan scored 37.1 points per game 19 years ago.

Bryant appeared on his way to 80 a month ago, scoring 62 in a one-sided win over Dallas. He sat out the

fourth quarter because the outcome was decided after three.

Not so Sunday. The Raptors led by as many as 18 in the third period, and that more than anything trig-

Man of the Moment

→ Bryant has been working up to this moment, with what has been an almost nightly ritual of unthinkable shot attempts. A full profile and a look back at his comeback after a year of disgrace | **Today, Page A1**

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gered Bryant's scoring explosion.

"We have four days off coming up here and I would be sick as a dog if we would have lost this game," he said. "I just wanted to step up and inspire us to play well and it turned into something pretty special."

Indeed, it did as Bryant recorded just the 10th game ever of at least 70 points.

On March 2, 1962, Chamberlain scored 59 in the second half — the only player with more points in a half than Bryant's 55 Sunday.

In the second half, it was Bryant 55, Toronto 42. "He couldn't be stopped tonight," Raptors guard Mike James said. "He basically beat us by himself." **JOHN NADEL (AP)**



The Dallas Stars' Brett Hull watches as the NHL makes plans for the 2007 game.

Dallas to Host 1st NHL All-Star Game Since '94

NHL | The Dallas Stars will host the National Hockey League's 2007 All-Star game, the league's first since 2004. The game will be played on Jan. 24 at the American Airlines Center, the league said Monday.

The Wednesday night game marks the first time since the 1989 All-Star game in Edmonton that the events won't be held on a weekend. The NHL lockout wiped out the All-Star game last year, and players will compete in the Olympics next month. **(AP)**

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The number of three-pointers that the Phoenix Suns and the Seattle Sonics combined for in the Sonics' 152-149 win on Sunday night. It is a new record for three-pointers in one game.

Sports



John Thompson III won't be caught looking past Tuesday's game at Notre Dame.

Hoyas Turn Attention To Defeating the Irish

Georgetown returns to Big East play after big victory over Duke

HOYAS HOOPS | Immediately after knocking off the No. 1-ranked team in the country — the first time Georgetown had done so in 20 years — by defeating Duke on Saturday, and with students and fans swarming the court in wild celebration, what was coach John Thompson III's first thought?

"Notre Dame," he said.

The Hoyas (12-4) — ranked No. 21 in the latest Associated Press poll — shocked the country by upsetting the previously undefeated Blue Devils in a nationally televised game, but, Thompson said, the team must stay focused and prepare itself for a long stretch of tough Big East competition, which picks up again Tuesday at Notre Dame (10-6).

"We get back to league play now. The game on Tuesday, in the grand scheme of things, may be more important than this game. We'll see how the season plays out," the coach said. "It feels good to win. But I don't think that will be good enough. We'll see."

The last two losses for the Hoyas have been in-conference; both were road match-ups against tough opponents, No. 9-ranked West Virginia and new No. 1 Connecticut. However, after the win Saturday, Georgetown feels ready to show the rest of the Big East that it is for real.

"We'll see if we can still play hard. They're still a lot of ball to play. This gives our [team] a little more confidence," Thompson said. "I say to our guys every day: 'We can beat any team in the country — Duke — and we can lose to any team in the country.' That's where we are right now." CHRIS MINCHER (EXPRESS)

Connecticut Takes Over as Top Team

COLLEGE HOOPS | With no more unbeaten teams left, Connecticut took over the No. 1 spot in The Associated Press college basketball poll Monday.

Two days after Duke, Florida and Pittsburgh lost, the Huskies (16-1) moved from No. 3 to the top of the rankings for the sixth time in school

history and the first since a one-week run in December 2004. The Blue Devils, Gators and Panthers were the last three undefeated Division I teams.

The Huskies are one of seven Big East teams in the Top 25, tying the record for most schools from one conference.

McCray Lost for Season

Terps' leading scorer suspended by school for academic reasons

TERPS HOOPS | Maryland senior guard Chris McCray has been suspended for the rest of the season because of academic reasons, leaving the No. 18 Terrapins without their top scorer and defensive catalyst.

McCray, the team's co-captain for two straight years, was averaging 15.2 points, reaching double figures in 15 of 16 games this season.

With the 6-foot-5 shooting guard leading the way, the Terrapins have compiled a 13-4 record, including 3-2 in the Atlantic Coast Conference.

The school announced the suspension Monday. McCray will be unavailable at the start of the spring semester, which begins Wednesday. The first game he will miss is at Georgia Tech on Wednesday night.

"I'd first like to apologize to my family, teammates and coaches for not meeting NCAA standards, but I'll continue to pursue my criminal justice degree," McCray said in a statement. "I'll learn from this experience and look forward to becoming very productive in life and as a student here at Maryland."

"Chris' career was outstanding here at the University of Maryland," coach Gary Williams said. "I'm fully confident Chris will be successful in life." DAVID GINSBURG (AP)

Duke (17-1), which had been No. 1 since the preseason poll, dropped one spot after losing 87-84 at Georgetown on Saturday. The win sent the No. 21 Hoyas (12-4) into the Top 25 for the first time since Dec. 31, 2001.

George Washington was the highest ranked area team this week at No. 14, and Maryland was No. 18. (AP)

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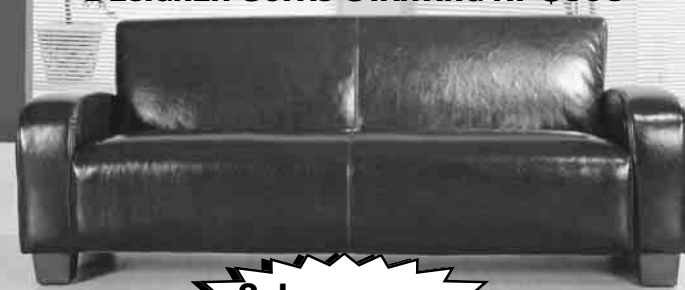
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Sports



FOREIGN SERVICE: Toyota is planning to move up to NASCAR's top two stock car series, becoming the first foreign competitor in NASCAR's top series since Jaguar ran in several races in the 1950s.

Steelers Are Early Favorites

Pittsburgh has never lost a Super Bowl it was predicted to win

SUPER BOWL | Uh, oh, those king-of-the-road Pittsburgh Steelers aren't going to like this, not at all.

They are four-point favorites to beat the Seattle Seahawks in the Super Bowl on Feb. 5 in Detroit after being underdogs against Indianapolis and Denver in their last two playoff games.

That means the Steelers can no longer recite that nobody's-picking-us theme that has carried them through seven consecutive victories, all but two away from home. They can no longer say that they're flying under the radar and are being overlooked even as they take down one higher-seeded team after another.

No wonder linebacker Joey Porter, the leader of Pittsburgh's defense, was practically begging oddsmakers to make the NFC champion

"He's just lost everything on top, and still — like a real man — he lets the sides continue to flourish."

Tony Kornheiser takes a shine to the balding Seahawks QB Matt Hasselbeck | **Today in Sports**

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the favorite following the Steelers' 34-17 AFC championship game victory over Denver on Sunday.

"Nobody's been pickin' us, don't jump on the bandwagon now," Porter said. "People are still crying about the Colts, and their stuff has been over for a week now. So pick them [the Seahawks] so we can keep our edge."

Of course, Porter might not have felt that way if he knew the Steelers are 4-0 when favored to win the Super Bowl, as they were in the 1974, 1975, 1978 and 1979 seasons, and 0-1 as underdogs, by 13 1/2 points before losing 10 years ago to the Cowboys 27-17 in Tempe, Ariz. ALAN ROBINSON (AP)



MVP FORM: After missing most of the Seahawks-Redskins game with a concussion, Shaun Alexander scores on Sunday.

Seahawks Silence Critics

After flying under the radar all year, Seattle looks like a champion

SUPER BOWL | Few teams rampage through their schedule the way the Seahawks did this season, only to be confronted by so many doubters during the playoffs. With the way Seattle manhandled the Carolina Panthers in the NFC championship game, the critics should realize one thing: Mike Holmgren's team is for real.

Usually, it takes an offensive star at his peak, a fierce defense and a coaching staff with some experi-

ence for a team to take the NFL's biggest prize.

The Seahawks have all that.

Forget that they are 3 1/2 point underdogs, hardly surprising considering the AFC is the stronger conference and the Pittsburgh Steelers are on an amazing run all the way from a sixth seed to the Super Bowl. That, and the team from the Pacific Northwest somehow managed to stay out of the spotlight despite a 13-3 regular season and, now, a 10-0 home record.

But as the Steelers well know, their opponent in Detroit on Feb. 5 is very formidable.

"No one is going to give us any-

thing," tight end Jerramy Stevens said after the 34-14 win over Carolina.

But what they are doing in the present is what makes champions.

First, the Seahawks have the NFL Most Valuable Player, Shaun Alexander, who returned from a concussion to carry the ball 34 times for 132 yards and scored twice against Carolina. Then there is a defense with a pass rush that can rattle anybody. Jake Delhomme had never struggled in a postseason game, but was overwhelmed Sunday.

"Seattle is a very admirable team," said All-Pro receiver Steve Smith. "Everything that team did today was superb." BARRY WILNER (AP)

Judge Rules for U.S. Skeleton Coach

OLYMPICS | U.S. skeleton coach Tim Nardiello should be reinstated, an arbitrator ruled Monday, overturning his suspension last month on allegations he sexually harassed two members of his team.

Still unclear was whether Nardiello would be allowed to coach at the Turin Olympics, a decision that now rests with the U.S. Olympic Committee. The USOC has until Jan. 30 to decide.

The arbitrator found no evidence

to support a credible sexual harassment claim, according to a person with direct knowledge of the ruling who spoke to The Associated Press on condition of anonymity.

The U.S. Bobsled and Skeleton Federation's board of directors will decide whether Nardiello will be allowed to rejoin the team in time for the season's final World Cup race in Altenberg, Germany, on Thursday and Friday. The USBSF was scheduled to meet Monday night. (AP)

LUND CLEARED TO SLED

→ Top American skeleton racer Zach Lund will compete in next month's Turin Olympics after the U.S. Anti-Doping Agency on Monday issued him only a public warning following a failed drug test. Because he wasn't suspended, the U.S. Olympic Committee, which approves the delegation for Turin, said it would credential Lund for the games.

In Brief

NFL

Ex-Bears Coach Jauron Takes Over the Bills' Post

Dick Jauron will get a second chance to prove himself as a head coach after being hired by the Buffalo Bills on Monday. Jauron's hiring was announced by Bills owner Ralph Wilson and general manager Marv Levy at a news conference. This is Jauron's second time as a head coach after going 35-46 — including one playoff loss — in five years with the Chicago Bears. Fired by the Bears after the 2003 season, he had only one winning season, going 13-3 in 2001 when he was named the NFL's coach of the year. (AP)



Dick Jauron was introduced as the new coach of the Buffalo Bills on Monday.

BASEBALL

New Reds Owner Wastes No Time Axing General Manager

General manager Dan O'Brien was fired Monday by new Cincinnati Reds owner Bob Castellini, his first major change since he took control of the team last week. O'Brien was entering his third season as general manager and had a year to go on his contract. The Reds are coming off their fifth consecutive losing season, their longest such streak in 50 years. (AP)

OLYMPICS

Protesters Briefly Abduct Flame From Track Star

Four protesters briefly grabbed the Olympic torch from Italian track star Eleanora Berlanda as the relay passed through the Italian town of Trento on Monday. The protesters known as "the disobedient ones" — demonstrators associated with the anti-globalization movement — nabbed the torch and relay escort runners took it back, the Italian news agency ANSA reported. (AP)

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Based on the description in your column, I think I might have binge eating disorder. I can't seem to control my eating. Last night, I ate half a box of cookies, a big salad, 7 slices of raisin bread with peanut butter, 2 oranges, a bowl of cereal, and a tuna sandwich. What is the treatment for this disorder? How do I get my eating under control?

It sounds like you may have had a binge last night, which many people can have. And remember that there is a wide spectrum of disordered eating. So whether you have actual binge eating disorder is for a professional to diagnose. In the meantime, you might consider checking with your doctor for a referral to a psychologist or a registered dietitian who can help look at what you're eating and how you're exercising.

Things That Go Chomp in the Night

N.Y.C. bedbug boom is spreading, experts warn

PESTS | Legions of tiny bloodsucking bugs are biting their way through the Big Apple, making this the city that never sleeps ... tight.

Bedbugs are back, and they're not just rearing their rust-colored heads in New York City. Experts say they're spreading to other states and countries. Exterminators who handled one or two bedbug calls a year are now getting that many in a week, according to the National

Pest Management Association.

"There's an epidemic going on throughout the country, and New York seems to be the hotbed," said Jeffrey Eisenberg, a pest control expert.

The tiny vermin avoid light and attack in the middle of the night. About the size of a flattened apple seed, they hide in cracks and crevices in furniture and walls.

They're efficient and active trav-



Bedbugs like this one are shaking residents of the Big Apple to their cores.

elers, often hitching rides on clothing and jumping from host to host when people brush up against each other on the subway, in elevators or on crowded streets. And they invade even the cleanest apartments and swankiest neighborhoods.

"We've always had pests in New York City — we have rats, cockroaches, et cetera — but bedbugs are new," said city Councilwoman Gail Brewer, who is calling for a bedbug task force. "We're not doing a good job focusing on it." SARA KUGLER (AP)

Group: Soy Won't Lower Cholesterol

DIET | Veggie burgers and tofu might not be so great at warding off heart disease after all.

An American Heart Association committee reviewed a decade of studies on soy's benefits and came up with results that are now casting doubt on the health claim that soy-based foods and supplements signif-

icantly lower cholesterol. The findings could lead the Food and Drug Administration to re-evaluate rules that currently allow companies to tout a cholesterol-lowering benefit on the labels of soy-based food.

The panel also found that neither soy nor the soy component isoflavone reduced symptoms of menopause, such as "hot flashes," and that isoflavones don't help prevent breast, uterine or prostate cancer. (AP)

Cancer Warnings for Eczema Drugs

WASHINGTON | The labels on two prescription creams to treat eczema will have to bear "black-box" warnings of possible cancer risks.

The Food and Drug Administration action last week followed an agency advisory committee recommendation last February that Elidel cream and Protopic ointment carry the label warnings.

The new labeling also will clarify

that the two drugs are recommended for use only after other prescription topical medicines have been tried by patients, the FDA said.

A black-box warning is the most serious type of warning in prescription drug labeling. The warning will be located lower on the labels of the two drugs than is typical, although a statement higher on the labels will refer to the risk. (AP)

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WHAT'S FRENCH FOR 'CONSPIRACY'? "The Da Vinci Code" will be the opening-night movie at the Cannes Film Festival in May, according to the AP. The film, starring Tom Hanks, will debut at the Riviera festival and in French theaters on May 17.

Entertainment

Desperate for Therapy

Sometimes, even Marcia Cross is shocked by her role

PLAY ACTING | That face, composed in its porcelain smile, is a shield with which Bree Van De Kamp meets the world.

As any viewer of "Desperate Housewives" knows, Bree has plenty not to smile about. Last season her husband died — and worse, it was at the hand of George, her twisted admirer. Then this murderous swain offed himself in an ill-advised gamble that Bree would demonstrate her love by saving him from his drug overdose.

Meanwhile, Bree's teenage son is scandalizing her by coming out of the closet. And she seems to have developed a drinking problem.

Even with Bree's defensive smile, it's hard to keep up appearances on Wisteria Lane.

"I'm still pinching myself, I really am, at my good fortune" at being signed for the show, said Marcia Cross, who plays Bree. She co-stars on the show with dishy dames Teri Hatcher, Felicity Huffman, Eva Longoria and Nicollette Sheridan.

Lightning has struck twice for Cross: In the 1990s, she starred on another wildly popular series, the



DESPERATELY SEEKING STABILITY: Cross fights for Bree's sanity — and loses.

Fox soap "Melrose Place," where she played a love-plagued, wacko doctor.

"I never thought I would live

Kimberly Shaw down," said Cross with a laugh. "So the fact that I've got another character, very different, under my belt is great."

Very different, but still unusual. In fact, Cross is often shocked by Bree and her deviant behavior.

"I'm given a script and I'm always saying to [show creator] Marc [Cherry], 'Please don't make me do that!' When I had to let George die, I had three meetings with Marc, begging him. And he was like, 'Marcia, trust me. Have I let you down yet?'"

Maybe her reaction is connected with her lifelong interest in human behavior — a level of curiosity that fueled her drive to earn a master's degree in psychology. "I'm so fascinated with the mind and consciousness and everybody's story," she said. "It's kind of why we're here, I think."

Which suggests that Cross might be uniquely qualified to analyze her alter ego.

Bree is "certainly not psychotic," Cross said, considering her character's psychology. "She's just a garden-variety, highly neurotic functioning human. So I would just want to get her to be more able to feel, and integrate her feelings — cause that's where the trouble comes from, a lot of it."

"I think she would be a very interesting patient," says Cross affectionately. "I'd recommend she come three times a week."

FRAZIER MOORE (AP)

Today's Top Stops

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The Washington Wizards mascot entertains kids at the 2003 auto show.

Washington Auto Show: Hot Wheels

With more than 700 new cars and exotics on display, the District's annual auto show kicks off today. Celebs from pro-wrestlers to ex-Redskins will also be available for gawking.

Washington Convention Center, 801 Mt. Vernon Place NW; \$10, through Jan. 29; 202-237-7200. (Mt. Vernon Square)

German Language Films: Willkommen

2 E Street Cinema's in the middle of a German-language film series. The series, sponsored by the Goethe-Institut, hits a highlight tonight with "Welcome Home," an exploration of racism, authority and immigration.

Landmark E Street Cinema, 555 11th St. NW; 9:30 p.m., \$6.75-\$9.50; 202-289-1200. (Metro Center)

Todd Gitlin: Getting Lefties Right

3 Columbia professor Todd Gitlin talks about his new book, "The Intellectuals and the Flag," in which he celebrates postwar intellectuals and encourages the left to engage in politics and meaningful reform.

Politics & Prose, 5015 Connecticut Ave. NW; 7 p.m., free; 202-364-1919. (Van Ness-UDC/Tenleytown)

WHAT'S HAPPENING?

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Harmonious Youth

The Cottars don't innovate; they bring Celtic music alive

MUSIC | Comprising the work of two pairs of teen siblings from the folk-centric island off Nova Scotia, the Cottars' second album, "Forerunner" (Rounder), offers a younger perspective on Cape Breton's musical heritage. "Forerunner" features mostly traditional tunes (and a pair of Tom Waits covers), played on fiddle, gui-

tar, bodhran and piano.

The song arrangements are pretty standard stuff — nothing you haven't heard on other Celtic records, though the foursome renders them with energy and skill.

The vocal harmonies are exceptional. Fiona MacGillivray, 16, sings lead in a clear, pretty voice on a rhythmic version of Waits' "Hold On." She all but stops time on the chorus to "Waterlily," which she sings in close harmony with violinist Roseanne MacKenzie, 15.

(Roseanne's brother, Jimmy, 18, plays guitar throughout.) MacGillivray's brother Ciaran, 17, steps out front on the rowdy "Pat Works on the Railway" and duets with Fiona on Waits' emotionally charged "Georgia Lee."

The group has drawn praise from Chieftains leader Paddy Moloney, who gushes, "What a future they have ahead of them." Indeed, but there's no need to wait.

ERIC R. DANTON (THE HARTFORD COURANT)



Roseanne and Fiona make up half of the Celtic-music group the Cottars.

Entertainment



CLASSIC WITH A TWIST — AND AN OLIVE: Nothing says "classic TV" like drunken, pill-popping trophy wives. Conveniently, "Will & Grace" star Megan Mullally, who plays drunken, pill-popping Karen, will host the fourth annual TV Land Awards.

Talk to the Animals

The beasts chat back in the laid-back world of 'Animal Crossing'

VIDEO GAMES | You could say "Animal Crossing: Wild World" is equal parts video game, design studio and chat program. But this quirky title for Nintendo DS often defies categorization.

"Wild World" (rated E) takes the original GameCube version, a cult favorite from 2002, and delivers the

same zany cast of critters to the portable dual screen system.

So, what exactly is the point? Well, there is none. You can pretty much do whatever you want within the confines of this digital world.

As the lone human, you'll spend a lot of time interacting with the town's many talkative residents and earning "bells," the in-game currency. You'll need thousands of bells to buy house upgrades, acquire fancy furnishings and create custom clothing.

But you can fish, harvest cherries or stroll the beach for sea shells. You can spend hours at the Town Hall crafting personalized theme music, which you'll hear intermittently between the relaxing background music. Players can lose whole days in the observatory creating custom constellations.

The characters certainly have a gift for gab.

Tom Nook, owner of Nook's Cranny, is an enterprising raccoon with a firm grip on the town's real

estate market. Blathers the owl is the sole operator of the town museum who's constantly complaining about being tired all day. And don't forget to visit fashionistas Mabel and Sable, where you can design your own outfits.

The game makes good use of the system's touch screen, allowing you to guide your avatar, cast a fishing line, draw patterns and lay out your home. The three-dimensional graphics are suitably cartoonish. **MATT SLAGLE (AP)**



"Wild World" offers not spills and thrills, but fishing and fashion design.

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HARD SELL: Handicapper Lang, left, is played on film by Matthew McConaughey.

Betting on Hollywood

A star sports better takes his true-life tale to the movies

FAILING UP | Brandon Lang, 42, was a star handicapper for a top sports-betting service from 1989 to '96. Under the mentorship of a controlling boss, he picked football winners, showboated in expensive suits, struggled during losing streaks and was even threatened at gunpoint by an angry client. Then he got bit by the showbiz bug. Lang landed a gig as a golf caddy at a connected L.A. country club, where he began a fortuitous friendship with movie screenwriter Dan Gilroy. The result: the thriller "Two for the Money," starring Matthew McConaughey, Al Pacino and Renee Russo. It has just been released on DVD.

Was Matthew McConaughey your first pick to play you?

Matt was my first choice, but there were a lot of young actors in Hollywood that had this script in their laps that could have said yes.

There's a scary scene in the movie where a client threatens Matthew in Central Park. What happened in real life?

Back then, I was calling people and forcing them to [place bets]. When you force people to do things, and it doesn't turn out correct, you're asking for trouble They put a gun to my head. I really believe he may have pulled the trigger, but what he saw was he saw my heart.

What are the qualities you need to be a star sports better?

You can't get emotional. People tend to bet their money on something and, if it's a game and that team cost them money on Sunday, they will then turn around and go against that team the following Sunday because they're just angry. You gotta maintain your objective, and not get emotional.

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MO' JITOS, PLEASE: MTV's "The Real World," not known for heading to the country's trouble spots, settles into a beach chair next season as a new gang goes to glamorous Key West. Make all the Hemingway references you want; they won't get it.

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CATCHING THE COMET (9 p.m., Science) documents the first space mission designed to follow a comet, retrieve dust from its tail and return the specimens to earth. It shares the drama of the space probe's return to earth and the excitement of scientists as they open their interstellar package.

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The over-the-top U.K. women-in-prison soap **BAD GIRLS** (9 p.m., BBC America) enters its second season.

SIN CITY. THEN AND NOW

A young woman takes on Hollywood in the 1923 silent film **SOULS FOR SALE** (8 p.m., TCM). The comedy/drama presents a behind-the-scenes glance at movie-making in the Roaring '20s.



Actor Kevin Bacon, left, discusses his fashion future with Carson and Jai.

‘YOUR FEET SEEM LOOSE’

On **QUEER EYE FOR THE STRAIGHT GUY** (10 p.m., Bravo), Kevin Bacon arrives with his brother and bandmate, Michael. It seems the Bacon Brothers need a makeover. KEVIN MCDONOUGH (UNITED FEATURE SYNDICATE)

Yesterday's Music

Tom Snyder was a punk rocker, sort of, on 'Tomorrow Show'

DVD | Punk rock fans and TV historians should pounce on the new DVD release “The Tomorrow Show With Tom Snyder: Punk Rock & New Wave.”

Released today by the folks at Shout Factory, this set includes interviews and performances by Iggy Pop, Elvis Costello, The Ramones, Patti Smith, The Plasmatics and Joan Jett.

For the uninitiated, “The Tomorrow Show” ran between



Host Tom Snyder chatted up some of the era's most influential artists.

1973 and 1982 and aired in the 12:30 a.m. slot after Johnny Carson. Snyder would finally be canceled to make way for a fresh-faced Hoosier named David Letterman. An edgy, cerebral chain smoker, Snyder is unlike anyone on contemporary television. Last year he was diagnosed with leukemia. I wish him all the best.

This collection includes the rather infamous interview/argument with John Lydon (formerly known as Johnny Rotten of The Sex Pistols) as he announces the formation of his new band, PiL. It's fun to see Jett as a cherubic teen.

Smith is shy and nervous but remarkably talkative, and spends much of her time discussing both Carson and God. KEVIN MCDONOUGH
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Privacy

Sites that round up call logs offer phone records for a price

Phone companies and federal lawmakers are demanding it be halted. The Federal Communications Commission is launching an investigation. The business of buying and selling private phone calling records is suddenly under considerable scrutiny.

The Internet, it turns out, has taken something old — a tool for monitoring cheating spouses or conniving business associates — and made it new again.

Earlier this month, at least 40 Web sites were offering cell-phone numbers, unlisted numbers and calling records. For \$110 or so, they'd sell you a month's worth of cell-phone calling records for any number, no questions asked.

Such records have been bought and sold for decades, prized by pri-

vate investigators, lawyers and people in less legitimate professions.

Case in point: In 1998, Los Angeles' police department had a serious security problem. Suspected mobsters obtained home phone numbers and addresses of detectives. In an apparent attempt at intimidation, one mobster showed up at a police officer's home while he was at work, gave his name to the officer's wife and walked away.

The LAPD eventually determined that the officers' personal data came from a Denver firm,

Calls for Alarm

Touch Tone Information, that used a technique known as "pretexting." Touch Tone workers would call up phone companies and records holders pretending to be regulators, customers or employees and get them to divulge account information.

The case stirred outrage. The

Federal Trade Commission forced Touch Tone out of business and its owner, James Rapp, spent a few months in jail. Robert Pitofsky, chairman of the FTC at the time, said: "This case should send a strong message to information brokers that the FTC will pursue

firms that use false pretenses to profit at the expense of consumers' privacy."

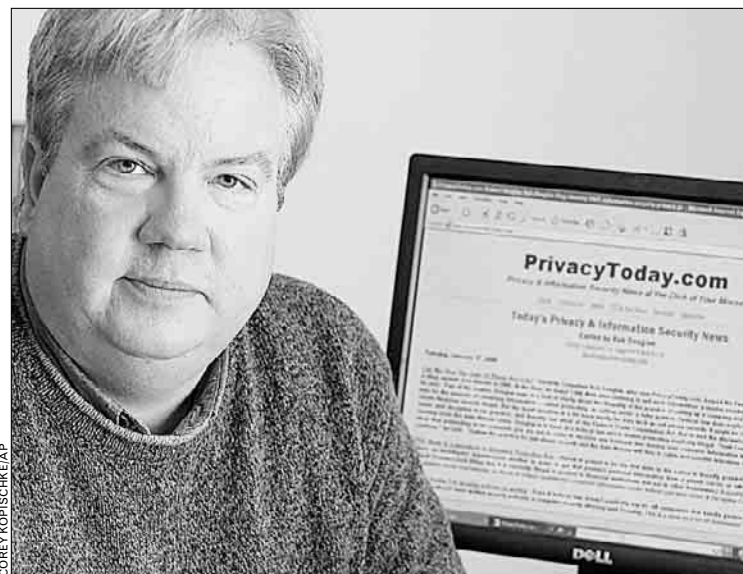
Six years later, "pretexting" is again in the spotlight. According to reports this month, Chicago's police department has warned its officers that their cell-phone records

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P.I. SEE: Ex-private investigator Robert Douglas told Congress about "pretexting."

are available online. Illinois' attorney general subsequently subpoenaed Locatecell.com, a Web site that sells such records.

According to industry insiders, companies like Locatecell.com obtain their information from a relatively small group of professional "pretexters."

The "pretexters" buttress their believability by buying such personal data as Social Security numbers from online database companies. Often a name, address and the last four digits of a person's Social Security number are all that's needed to obtain calling records.

Another route is to buy the information from insiders, such as phone company employees.

Customers can put up a minor road block for pretexters themselves by asking their phone company to set a PIN code for their account instead of using their Social Security number.

Robert Douglas in Steamboat Springs, Colo., a former private investigator who has testified on Capitol Hill about pretexting, notes that this is not a very good defense — customer service representatives can often be browbeaten into giving up personal information even if it's protected by a PIN and password. **PETER SVENSSON (AP)**



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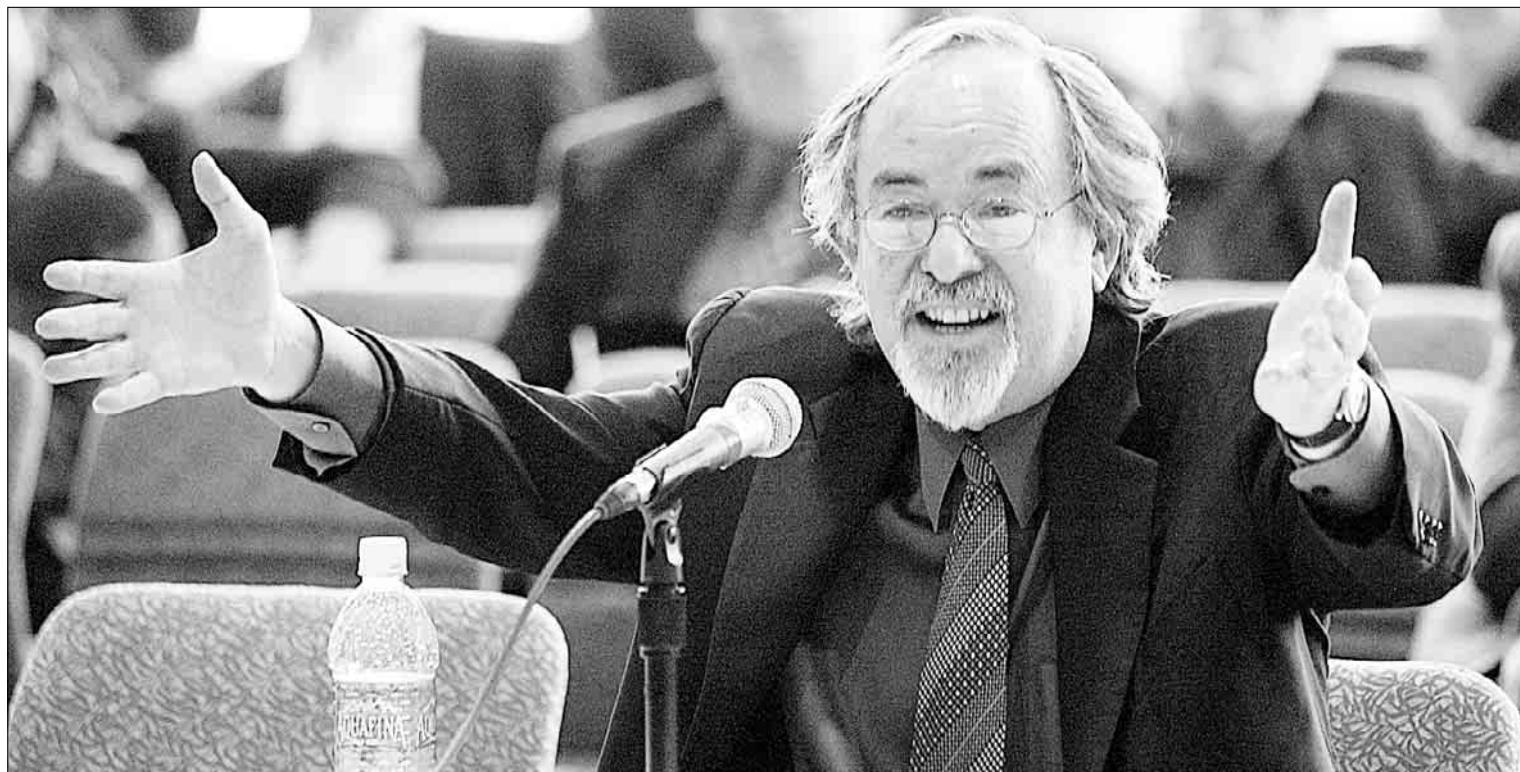
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WHEN YOU'RE RIGHT: David Horowitz testified that, in a survey, half of students reported their professors talked about politics in the classroom when it wasn't relevant.

Education

Governments debate role in claims about ideology and grades

Christian DeJohn returned from a National Guard tour in Bosnia only to fight his own war with academics at Temple University who, he said, have held up his master's thesis because of political conflicts in the classroom.

To some conservatives, the case represents a national trend by some liberal professors to infringe on conservative students' right to free speech at public colleges and universities.

The debate has reached more than a dozen state legislatures, which dole out the taxpayer funds to those schools, but so far there's been more talk than action.

Legislation modeled after an "academic bill of rights" advocated by conservative activist David Horowitz, founder of Students for Academic Freedom, was introduced in at least 15 states last year, but none has passed it, according to the National Conference of State Legislatures.

Among other things, the document exhorts professors to pres-

ent a wide spectrum of intellectual views in the classroom and discourages them from basing students' grades on their religious or political beliefs.

Julie Bell, the conference's education program director, said legislatures have not forced the issue because even public universities typically enjoy considerable autonomy in setting academic policies and procedures.

"Most legislatures have backed away because they really do acknowledge that separation," Bell said.

An Ohio state senator suspended his push for legislation last year after state universities approved a

resolution requiring them to ensure students are not graded based on political opinions.

In Pennsylvania, legislators investigating whether the state's public colleges are hospitable to divergent intellectual and political views traveled to Temple for a hearing earlier this month where a small number of students voiced their complaints.

DeJohn, who entered graduate school four years ago, said he suspects that approval of his thesis is being delayed partly because of conflicts he had with a military history professor who, DeJohn said, often criticized the Iraq war and the Bush administration during class.

Prof's & Cons

"I would not be here if I weren't persuaded by 20 years of walking around campuses and seeing this."

DAVID HOROWITZ
CONSERVATIVE ACTIVIST

DeJohn contends the delay is also retaliation for a critical response he sent to a professor after he received an e-mail invitation to a campus

war protest while he was serving six months in Bosnia.

"These are people who are sitting in judgment on whether I graduate," DeJohn told the lawmakers.

Both professors testified during the public-comment portion of the hearing and said their decision was based on academic reasons and not on DeJohn's military status, according to Rep. Lawrence Curry, a committee member.

Pennsylvania's inquiry was authorized by the state House at the behest of Rep. Gibson C. Armstrong, who says he wants the committee to assess whether political orthodoxy is a widespread problem and whether a legislative remedy is warranted.

"I don't think anyone on this committee is interested in seeing the government ... interfere in what happens in our state college classrooms," the Republican said at the hearing.

William E. Scheuerman, vice president of the American Federation of Teachers, said universities fear the prospect of government micromanagement.

"Merely the threat of government intervention is enough, believe me, to frighten college administrators and some faculty so they are less likely to raise tough questions," he said.

Advocates for tighter controls are trying other strategies, as well. At the University of California, Los Angeles, a conservative alumni group offered students money to police professors accused of pushing liberal views — a move that sparked a former congressman and two others to quit the group's advisory board, saying that the tactic was extreme.

Horowitz said verifying the accuracy of every bias complaint is difficult. But he told the lawmakers at Temple that the American Council of Trustees and Alumni found last year that half of students surveyed said professors frequently comment in class on politics — even when it is not relevant to the course.

"I would not be here if I weren't persuaded by 20 years of walking around campuses and seeing this," Horowitz said.

Rep. Dan Surra, a member of the Pennsylvania committee who has questioned the need for the investigation, said nothing so far has swayed him.

"It's the educational equivalent of the hunt for Bigfoot," he said.

MARTHA RAFFAELE (AP)

Styles | LOOK^{*}out

With the onset of spring comes warm weather, longer days and bright, sunny skies. All of which call for some cool shades or colorful new glasses to herald the change of season and beat the midwinter fashion blahs. To the rescue: Three eye-catching eyewear collections that are a far cry from the boring black frames of yore. Rock stars, fashionistas and those who worship them are all clamoring for these fun-in-the-sun shades. LAUREN DAVID PEDEN (FASHION WIRE DAILY)



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Paris-based optic ANNE ET VALENTIN (co-created by Anne Valentin, Valery Lorenzo and Yannick Burdin) specialize in brightly-hued glasses in whimsical-yet-wearable shapes that call attention to the wearer's face without screaming "Look at me!" In business for more than a decade, Anne et Valentin's spring collection boasts customized colors based on a Mediterranean palette (think: Bay Leaf Green, Hot Pepper Red) in metal, titanium and cellulose acetate frames. Shapes range from quasi-classic (the square, powder pink "Tact," elegant black "Tarzan," and red oblong "Nana" styles) to seriously funkadelic (such as the cocoa metal "Tomoko," whose left and right lenses are ever-so-slightly mismatched — one forms a complete circle, the other does not).

Also experimenting with not-quite-symmetrical lenses is the Belgian eyewear company **THEO**, the brainchild of opticians Wim Somers and Patrick Hoet. Though the company has been around since 1994, the line is just beginning to catch on in America.

Theo's Eye-Witness collection features several styles (the MK and MJ) whose top edge soars

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above the actual lens like wings, while the Christoph Broich "Nemo" shades come complete with safety pinned earpiece, for built-in punk rock cred. The "Tibetan" style, meanwhile (from the Scripts line) has faux metal eyebrows arching above its contrast color cat eye frames, while the limited-edition "Antwerp Mesh" and "Bruges Laces" sunglasses pay homage to Belgium's history as world-class lace makers with stainless steel glasses digitally cut to resemble the dainty filigreed fabric. Cool? Very. For the faint of heart? Not.

For serious rock and roll cred,

in-the-know hipsters are donning shades by Los Angeles' **INITIUM EYEWEAR**. Not only is each style in their just-released Platinum collection named for an iconic artist's best-selling album (from the square "Revolver" to the rectangular "Check Your Head"), all frames come in a range of colors — from classic black and brown horn to I'm-Ready-For-My-MTV-Close-Up pale yellow. Created "by musicians, for musicians," the company's mission statement declares that "Initium IS a collective of real musicians and aspiring designers working real hard, playing real hard

and sleeping very little for the purpose of making a collection of products so on-point that the consumer need go no further than Initium to scratch their rock'n'roll fashion itch."

While that may sound like wannabe hyperbole (and more than a little pretentious), consider: Initium's unisex shades, which retail for \$132 to \$225 and are hand-made in Italy, have already been spotted on members of Weezer, Interpol and Alkaline Trio. In short, Initium puts its money (and glasses) where its mouth is.

Anne et Valentin and Theo glasses range from \$300 to \$510 and can be found online at antoineetvalentin.com and theo.be, respectively. Initium eyewear ranges from \$110-\$160 and is sold online at standardstyle.com and initiumeyewear.com.

Perfume



Hypnotize Your Nose

"Light" and "sultry" rarely go hand in hand when it comes to perfume. "Light" scents tend to make you smell either like Pledge or baby powder, while "sultry" ones make you reek like a cheap bordello with an incense addiction. Lancome's **HYPNOSE** (\$43 for 1 ounce, Lancome counters) manages to split the difference quite nicely. While the first note out of the swoopy-silhouetted bottle smells pleasantly of laundry, it deepens into a slightly citrusy blend with a dash of spice — think a gin and tonic mixed in a flower garden that's vaguely near a cedar closet. KRISTEN PAGE-KIRBY (EXPRESS)

Health



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LOOK out

Voices

Lyndsey Layton

On Metro

Washington Post staff writer **LYNDSLEY LAYTON** was online Monday and revealed some truths about the Metro's canopies, signs and floor tiles | washingtonpost.com/liveonline

I would give a total nix to the canopy at the Dupont Station, exit south. What was once a visually pleasing somewhat open but at the same time intimate space, has become a jumbled chaotic-looking space. During the rain, most people have their own personal canopies, called umbrellas.

Ah yes, but the canopies are not for the people, my friend, they're for the machinery. Electrical components plus water equals malfunction.

When will Metro allow all cellular providers to offer coverage within the subway system? A recent chat with the Metro director on their site seemed to indicate they were working on opening it up to other carriers besides Verizon.

They've been talking to a consortium of other cell phone providers for months and months and I haven't heard of progress. Meanwhile, N.Y.C. has just struck a deal to wire its stations for cell phones so that all types of phones will be able to work.

Any idea how Metro calculates "next train" arrival times? Is it based on real-time information or some sort of idealized schedule?

That's very interesting and reminds me of the early days of those information display signs when they were inaccurate on all lines. The signs are not based on real-time information -- they rely on an algorithm that uses the departure time of the train as it leaves a terminal station and estimates arrival at the rest of the stations along the line.

So Metro's signs don't post any actual time but a theoretically possible time that a train will arrive. If so, then what's the point? I don't think an actual system of sensors would be all that expensive.

Here's the backstory. Metro was among the first subways in the country to plan for information display signs but the project took so long that by the time the signs were installed, technology had passed Metro by. Transit systems elsewhere have better-designed systems and better information. But Metro invested heavily in its now-antiquated system and Richard White [the former Metro chief] has said the agency is stuck with what it has.

I had a thought about Metro station entrances recently with our wet weather. What was the rationale in choosing that smooth tile for all the Metro station entrances? When it

The canopies [over station exits] are not for the people my friend ... Electrical components plus water equals malfunction.

gets wet, it's as slick as ice. Without some kind of grooves or something, there is no traction on those tiles. I presume they've been there for 30 years, so is the choice based solely on aesthetics?

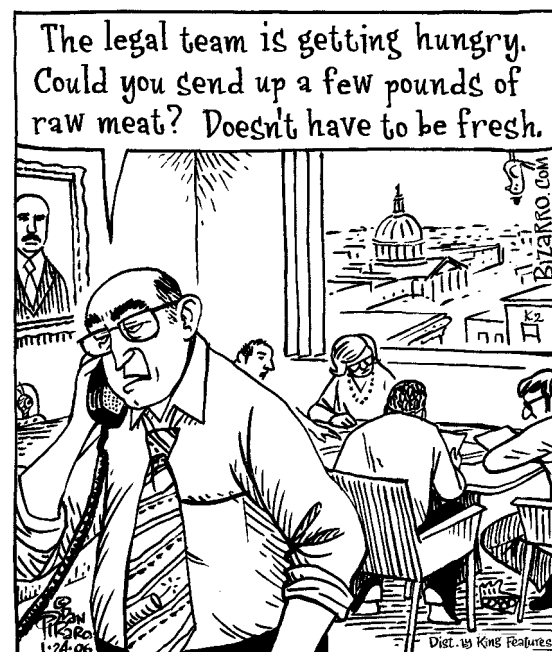
Yes, those tiles were the original choice way back in '76 and because Metro has been obsessive about maintaining its look, no one has made an effort to install tiles that would be safer when wet.

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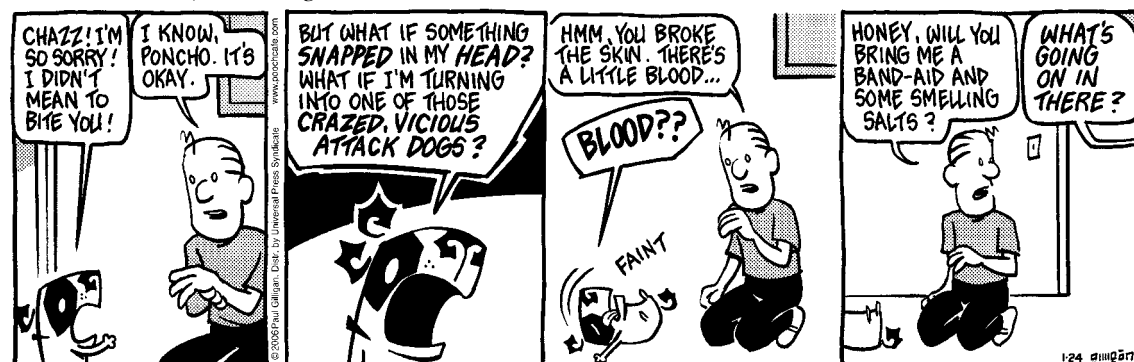


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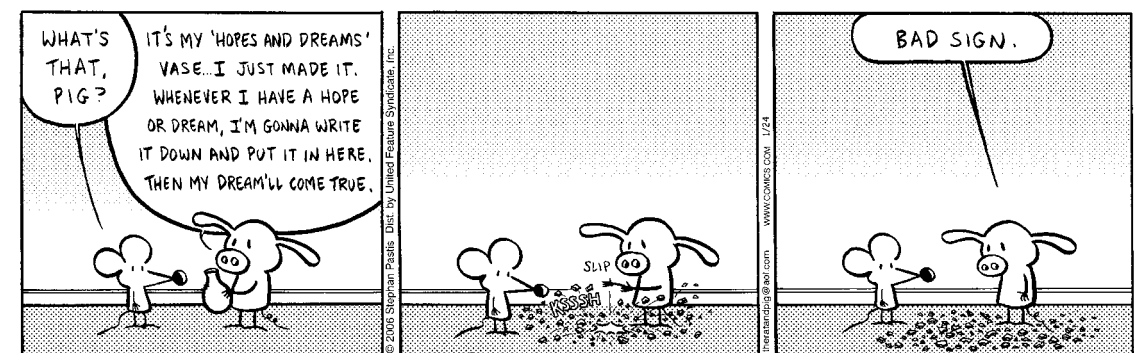


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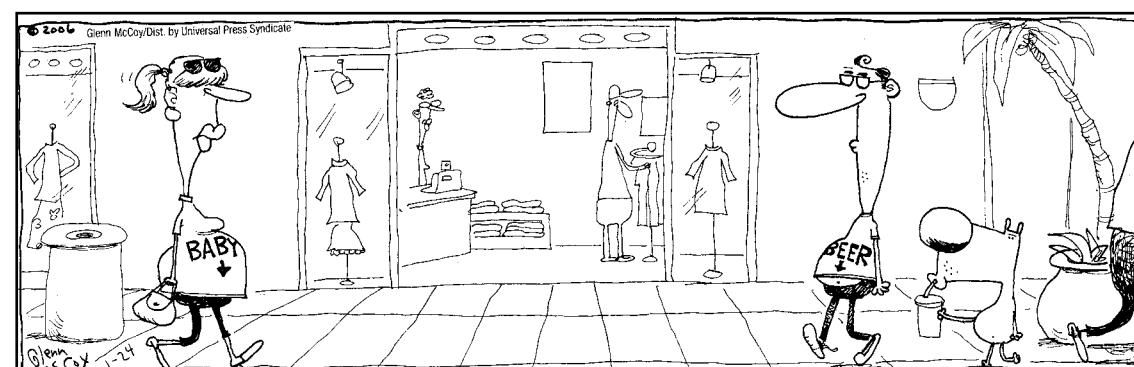
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Horoscope

By Stella Wilder

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) You're in no mood for extra bother in any aspect of your life, so you'd better be sure to streamline your own activities.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) You're not likely to be impressed by those who are all talk and no action. On the other hand, there is a place for calm discussion.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) A little bit of luck and your own characteristic foresight can take you a long way—and land you exactly where you want to be.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) It may prove hazardous to navigate your own emotional landscape without first choosing a clear and firm destination. Be well-equipped.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You may find it necessary to analyze every detail, but in the end you will have to make a decision one way or the other.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) You'll find

yourself talking directly to one who has been out of touch for too long—the relationship can start anew.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You're in the mood to do something new for yourself, and the opportunities are virtually endless. See if you can't surprise yourself.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) A conflict of interest may be unavoidable, but in the end you can satisfy both your desires and your needs in good measure.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22) A visit with an old friend or a conversation over the phone can make you feel worlds better—provided you tell it like it is.

SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21) Hidden sources of anger and other negative emotions may be revealed. As a result, you can free yourself from self-imposed restraints.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21) It is important to assess your own willingness to get along with others. It may be that you're in the mood to be alone.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You will be eager to please, but there will be times when you must sit back and let others cater to you. Let another lead the way.

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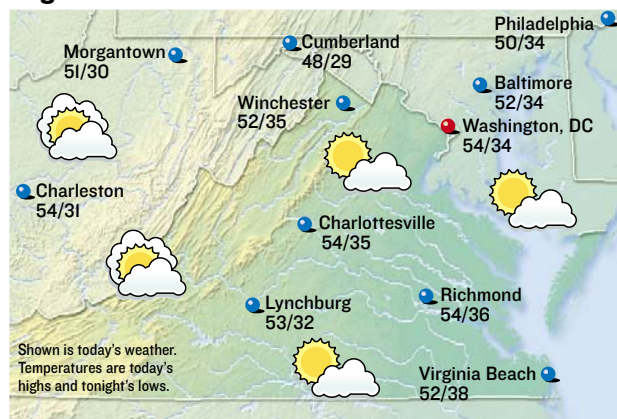


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Average humidity	91%

Precipitation

24 hours ending 4 p.m.	0.98"
Month to date	2.80"
Normal month to date	2.41"
Year to date	2.80"
Last year to date	2.92"
Normal year to date	2.41"

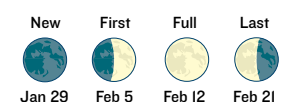
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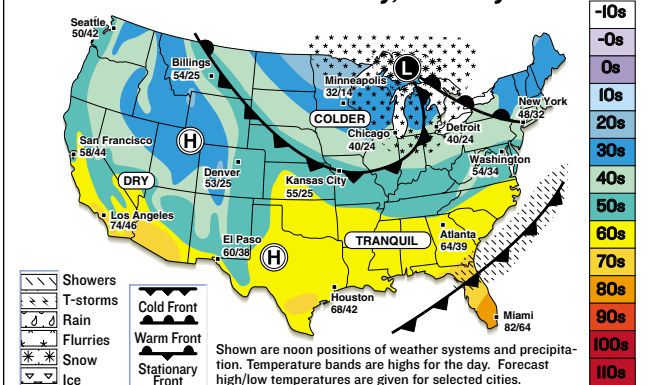
D.C. Metro: Today, mostly sunny, warmer. High 54. Wind southwest 6-12 mph. Tonight, evening rain shower, partly cloudy, breezy. Low 34.

Sun and Moon

Sunrise today	7:21 a.m.
Sunset tonight	5:20 p.m.
Moonrise today	2:35 a.m.
Moonset today	12:12 p.m.



National Weather for Tuesday, January 24



National Cities

City	Today	Wed.
Atlanta	64/39/s	55/33/s
Boston	42/32/pc	38/24/sf
Chicago	40/24/sf	34/20/pc
Dallas	65/38/s	66/40/s
Denver	53/25/s	57/27/pc
Honolulu	80/70/sh	80/69/pc
Los Angeles	74/46/s	66/48/s
Miami	82/64/pc	77/55/pc
New York City	48/32/pc	38/26/pc
Orlando	80/52/sh	70/44/s
Seattle	50/42/c	48/37/r

World Cities

City	Today	Wed.
Amsterdam	39/28/pc	41/32/s
Athens	45/38/r	45/36/sh
Berlin	24/14/pc	27/18/sf
Buenos Aires	82/68/pc	78/64/pc
Calgary	54/31/pc	50/24/c
Dublin	46/36/c	45/36/c
Geneva	39/26/pc	43/23/s
Moscow	0/-6/c	10/9/sn
Rome	48/32/pc	50/36/s
Sydney	72/64/t	70/64/sh
Tokyo	45/32/s	45/32/s

s-sunny, pc-partly cloudy, c-cloudy, sh-showers, t-thunderstorms, r-rain, sf-snow flurries, sn-snow, i-ice.



Lee, in his healthy days before the pox.

LAZINESS

If They Can Write Death Into a Script, Why Not This?

JASON LEE has an excuse for missing work better suited for a fifth-grader. He has the chicken pox. Production on NBC's "My Name is Earl" is being shut down for a couple of weeks "until he's feeling better and presentable to be on TV again," said Greg Garcia, the show's creator and executive producer. (AP)

HUNKS

James Dean: Still Dead

The Indiana museum chronicling the short life of **JAMES DEAN** that had been slated for closure will stay open after all. David Loehr, owner of the James Dean Gallery, said he's received an outpouring of support and money since he announced plans last month to close the facility. "It just looked like it was going to be a long, cold winter and I didn't think I could make it through," Loehr said. "But we're going to give it a shot." (AP)



NEW YORKERS

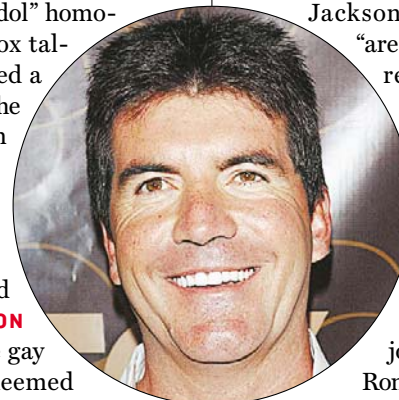
Look How Far They've Come

More than a decade after 16-year-old Amy Fisher had a sexual relationship with a much-older car mechanic and shot his wife in the face, the one-time "Long Island Lolita" and **JOEY** and **MARY JO BUTTAFUOCO**, who have since divorced, have agreed to appear together in a televised reunion. All three have signed on for the appearance, which has yet to be sold to a network, television producer David Krieff told the New York Post. (AP)

OFFENSE

Girly Men, Other Than Clay, Have No Place on 'Idol'

Is "American Idol" homophobic? The Fox talent show elicited a response from the Gay and Lesbian Alliance Against Defamation (GLAAD) after judges **SIMON COWELL** and **RANDY JACKSON** made what the gay rights group deemed questionable comments on this past week's premiere episode. On Tuesday's show, seen by



a Nielsen-chart topping 35.5 million viewers, Cowell told one male contestant to "wear a dress" and Jackson asked another, "are you a girl?" "The real offense here was in the producer's decision to add insult to injury by turning a contestant's gender expression into the butt of a joke," said Damon Romine, a spokesman for GLAAD. A spokesman for "American Idol" said Monday that Fox had no comment. (AP)

GREAT WHITE WAY

Please, Make Sure I Never Co-Star With J-Lo Again

RALPH FIENNES is coming back to Broadway for the first time since his Tony-winning turn in "Hamlet." Fiennes will star in a revival of Brian Friel's "Faith Healer," opening May 4. The actor will appear with another Tony winner, Cherry Jones, in the tale of Frank Hardy. The three-character play is told in a series of monologues in which the charismatic title character, after a lifetime of touring Scotland and Wales, returns home to Ireland. "Faith Healer" had a short Broadway run in 1979. (AP)



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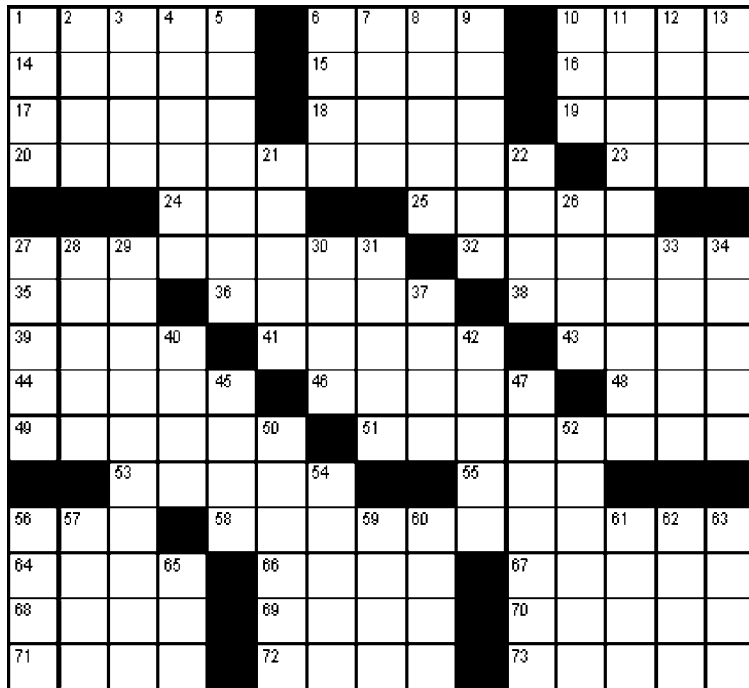
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6 "Open, Sesame!" speaker
10 Barcelona chairs lack them
14 Spiral
15 They may be boosted
16 Old, foolish person
17 Bar at the bar
18 Like some orders
19 Grayish yellow
20 Weasel-like animal
23 Understanding
24 About 22 degrees
25 "From ____ shining ..."
27 Old building substance
32 It may be gross
35 Leader of the Long March
36 Spine-tingling
38 "A Bell for ____"
39 Border on
41 Dustin in "Midnight Cowboy"
43 Lenin's police org.
44 Like many bathroom floors
46 "____ pray" (pulpit petition)
48 Pt. of EEC
49 "Positively!"
51 They know the drill
53 First month of

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55 Something to chew
56 General address
58 One place to golf
64 Likelihood ratio
66 Flying prefix
67 Hindu gentleman (Var.)
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69 Knights' garb
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73 Elizabeth I's ill-fated favorite

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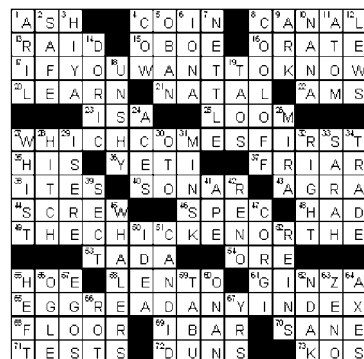
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2 "____ we forget ..."
3 Violist's clef
4 Famous quintuplets' name
5 Outlay
6 Type of blocker
7 Culture contents
8 Frankenstein monster features
9 Fast follower?
10 Maven
11 Sturdy old hymn
12 Greater quantity
13 Shock
21 Olympic measure
22 Japan's first capital
26 Words with well
27 Valuable violin



28 Polio vaccine developer
29 It was renamed for Herbert Hoover
30 Type of history
31 Situated
33 Suggestions, e.g.
34 Balzac's birthplace
37 Famed Ferrara family
40 Ump chaser?
42 Gold measure
45 Profound

47 Five o'clock shadow
50 Wild fancies
52 Models of excellence
54 African witchcraft
56 Dance partner?
57 It's in your mind
59 Cheese type
60 Hang in the hammock, e.g.
61 Arabic coats
62 Attend the shindig
63 Fraudulence
65 It's fit for a pig

Yesterday's Solution



Today in History

1848 James W. Marshall discovered a gold nugget at Sutter's Mill in northern California, a discovery that led to the gold rush of '49.

1908 The first Boy Scout troop was organized in England by Robert Baden-Powell.

1924 The Russian city of St. Petersburg was renamed Leningrad in honor of the late revolutionary leader (however, it has since been renamed St. Petersburg).

1985 The space shuttle Discovery was launched from Cape Canaveral, Fla., on the first secret, all-military shuttle mission.

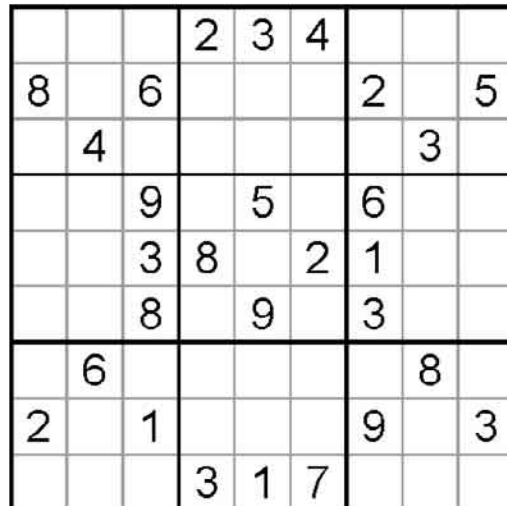
2003 The new Department of Homeland Security officially opened and its chief, Tom Ridge, was sworn in.

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